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Russia Is Ready to Begin the Movement of Invasion.

CAUSE OF THE CZAR'S GREAT HASTE TO REACH ST. PETERSBURG.

The British Fleet Cruising Near the Dardanelles—Anxiety at Constantinople—France and the German Kaiser—The Queen of Spain Preparing for Flight—Dom Pedro's Hopes Dashed.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—A St. Petersburg dispatch says that while the death of the Grand Duchess Alexandra is the ostensible and sufficient cause for the Czar hastening back to Russia, yet the hurry of his journey has created a general impression in the Russian capital that affairs at Constantinople have a great deal to do with the anxiety of the Czar to be at home. Everything is ready for an advance by land and sea toward the Turkish capital whenever the Czar gives the word and there is a nervous feeling that it may be given at any moment.

The Russian army officers are known to be anxious for a fight, and the present Czar, like his predecessors, has always great respect for army sentiment. It was the Russian army, without direct authority from the Czar, that nearly brought about a conflict with England in 1875 when the Czar repudiated and rewarded the action of his officers, and the same desire to measure swords and win promotion is stronger than ever.

Advises from Constantinople say the British fleet which recently went on a picnic to Mitylene has been sailing around Cyprus and paid another visit to Alexandria. The fleet is said to be again on the way to the Dardanelles, but no more picnicking is promised. When the British sailors land again, it is expected that they will be in earnest. The Sultan is making an effort to resuscitate his iron clads that have not yet become useless from neglect and rust.

A Paris dispatch says at the close of a week having had for one of its leading political features an explanation that explains nothing, made by the Turkish Government, which, paradoxical as is the fact, finds in its fundamental and inherent weakness the mainstay of its influence in the destinies of Europe, France is, perhaps, the most tranquil nation on the continent. French statesmen, politicians and journalists alike, confine themselves to the manifestation of a languid interest in what the English Tory administration and press may do or say with regard to the peculiarly inconsequential communication from Constantinople. The matter is not one which in any marked degree excites interested discussion here. The alleged sentimentally peaceful outgivings of the German Emperor at the table of the Austrian Archduke Albrecht, as reported by a Vienna correspondent and printed in Paris newspapers, have fallen quite flat. The only serious comment heard on the reported utterances of the imperial oracle is that the power to command peace or war for Europe has passed away from both Kaiser and Dreibund. It is true, however, that the gentlemen of the Patriotic League and a few more of the members of the governmental party supplement this opinion with the declaration that France and Russia are now to the fore and propose to remain there, whatever may be the cost. Again, there are thousands of thoughtful Frenchmen who decline to believe that a man fit to be the leader of the great German people would indulge in such twaddle as has been placed in his mouth by the English correspondent.

No incident of the eventful week has more rebounded to the credit of the French people than their self-control in view of the war-like speech of the Grand Duke of Baden.

PREPARING FOR FLIGHT.

QUEEN CHRISTINA FEARS THE COMING REVOLUTION IN SPAIN.

MADRID, Sept. 26.—Queen Christina's purchase of a splendid estate in the south of Italy is considered ominous in connection the repeated rumors of threatened revolution in Spain. In Madrid, says a correspondent, the incident is the leading subject of political gossip, and the Queen's action is commented upon as showing a serious lack of confidence in the future. The estate of which the Queen Regent has become the owner is one of the finest in Europe, and would be a magnificent refuge for an exiled monarch, should Queen Christina have the misfortune to follow Pedro of Brazil into exile. Surprise has been expressed that the Queen did not buy a country home in Austria, where she belongs.

Dom Pedro is reported to be deeply disappointed by the emphatic refusal of the Brazilian Congress to grant him leave to live in Brazil. The Emperor's devotion to that country is touching and visitors say that the tears come into his eyes every time Brazil is mentioned in his presence. All that he asked was the privilege of dying in Brazil and this had been denied him.

This morning's advices from Portugal show that the Portuguese have not lost all reverence for their royal house, notwithstanding the prevalence of republican ideas. King Carlos and his Queen have been received everywhere with great enthusiasm, and the populace has shown something of old time loyalty in the welcome to the youthful monarch, whom everybody, even his political enemies, credits with good intentions.

The Delagoa Bay Railroad question is causing great anxiety in official circles owing to alarming reports circulated that the Government has received the arbitration terms to which it must reply within thirty days.

The minister of foreign affairs, Conde De Valbom, had a long conference yesterday with the technical delegate who was sent to Delagoa Bay in regard to the defense of Portugal against the British claims.

AN ASSASSIN'S BULLET.

MURDER OF DR. AYALA, EX-VICE-PRESIDENT OF SALVADOR.

SCRANTON, Pa., Sept. 26.—A letter was received here yesterday from Col. Brannon, now in Gautemala, describing the assassination of Dr. Ayala, formerly vice-president of the Republic of San Salvador, and recently a fugitive from that country. Dr. Ayala was the principal passenger on the steamship City of Panama when she was boarded by Salvadorian officers, who wanted to take him and Col. Brannon, with several other exiles, ashore under orders from President Ezeta. Dr. Ayala with the other exiles finally reached the city of Guatemala. The Ezetas, however, had assassins on their track, and at the first opportunity Dr. Ayala was killed while sitting at his desk. He was killed in the most cowardly manner, being shot in the back while alone. There is great excitement over the matter throughout the five States. Col. Brannon, who writes the letter, had been for many years the warm friend of Dr. Ayala. It was the purpose of the Salvadorian exiles to mature their plans in Guatemala for the over throw of Ezeta and restoration of Dr. Ayala as President of the Salvadorian republic, but the bullet of the assassin has frustrated all their plans.

ALL FOR ANNEXATION.

EFFECT OF THE BREACH BETWEEN MERCIER AND LIEUT.-GOV. ANGERS.

MONTREAL, Sept. 26.—On account of the breach between Lieut.-Gov. Angers and Premier Mercier, political affairs in the province are fast approaching a crisis. It is more than probable that serious trouble will ensue. The French newspapers are inflaming the people with vehement denunciation. They declare that the pressure from Ottawa to force Mercier out of the political field will be resented, and threats of annexation to the United States that are heard on all sides show in what direction they will seek to offset Angers.

At Winsor, Ontario, prominent citizens have organized the Continental Club, with the object of promoting annexation to the United States. In the platform of principles the club refers to the slow increase of population of the Dominion and the enormous increase in taxes as compared with the States. The club calls the enormous railroad expenses a failure, and believes that annexation means a rapid influx of American capital.

Mr. Pacaud, editor of *L'Electeur*, who, it is alleged, manipulated the Quebec subsidies to the Baie des Chaleurs Railway for the benefit of himself, Contractor Armstrong and Quebec politicians, and who fled to Europe rather than appear before the Senate Committee, is a passenger on the steamer Parisian from Liverpool, en route to Canada.

It is generally understood that unless something unforeseen occurs the prorogation of Parliament will take place on Wednesday next, when the House will have sat just five months and one day. It has been decided that the members of both Houses are to get $500 apiece as extra indemnity for the long session.

LONDON THEATERS.

QUEEN VICTORIA WILL WITNESS PLAYS AT BUCKINGHAM—STAGE GOSSIP.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The theatrical world, much to the satisfaction of the managers, seems destined to enjoy a renewal of the Queen's favor. Her Majesty, it appears has expressed a desire to have several plays performed at Buckingham Palace and at Windsor Castle and two leading London managers are hopeful of being able to seure the Queen's personal attendance at their places of entertainment during the coming season.

The report that Gilbert and Sullivan will again collaborate in the production of a comic opera is confirmed.

The Kendalls have sailed for New York and hope to net $100,000 by their tour of the United States this winter. After that they will retire and settle in England.

Verdi's "Falstaff" is reported to contain parts for five prima donnas, three sopranos, a mezzo soprano and a contralto and three tenors, beside Maurel in the title role. Verdi, who is now about 77 years of age, is working leisurely upon this new opera and is not expected to have it finished before 1892. A small chorus will be one of the features of "Falstaff," and it will only be used once throughout the work.

Gounod, in conversation with a friend recently, said: "My career as a composer is ended." Gounod's life is known to be in danger of heart disease, and this will prevent him from ever again undertaking the production of a great work. He added, however, that he ought to be able to hear "Lohengrin" in the near future.

Lord Tennyson, the poet Laureate, has just completed the first work he has ever written for the stage, and Austin Daly has secured its exclusive acting rights. The poet Laureate's play isa three-act comedy, with parts specially designed for Ada A. Rehan, John Drew and James Lewis. It will not be printed until after it has received its first public representation, which will take place in New York during the coming winter. Augustin Daly and Ada Rehan visited Lord Tennyson's house, Aldworth, near Haslemore Surrey, on Thursday last. After lunch Lord Tennyson read some of the most effective passages of his comedy to his two guests, especially dwelling upon those designed for Miss Rehan, who was delighted with her part.

GENERAL FOREIGN.

CONFIRMATION OF THE STORIES OF CANNIBALISM IN RUSSIA.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The horrible story of cannibalism among the Russian peasantry is more than confirmed, for within some of the afflicted provinces it is said that starving families, giving up all hope of rescue, are prolonging life by devouring their helpless infants. The local authorities find themselves unable to cope with the terrible calamity which, in its horrors, recalls the description in Josephus of the sufferings of the Jews during the siege of Jerusalem. In several of the provinces the peasantry has started to emigrate and, overtaken by weakness, many have perished miserably by the roadside.

MOORS IN REBELLION.

GIBRALTAR, Sept. 26.—H. M. S. Goshawk, four guns, 330 tons, 480 horse power, a gunboat under Commander Edward P. Chapman, has been dispatched to Cape Juby, on the west coast of Sahara, opposite Fuerteventura (one of the Canary Islands), where the Moors have rebelled and threatened to destroy a factory owned by British subjects.

THE RUSSIAN LOAN.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 26.—The *Bourse Gazette* says that an agreement as to the issue of the new Russian loan has been signed. In addition to the firms already mentioned as taking up this loan, Hambro & Sons of London, Hope & Co. of Amsterdam and Copenhagen and the Bank of Copenhagen take a part of the issue. The proceeds of the new loan will be applied to building railways and to the completion of other public works of importance.

REVOLT IN YEMEN.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 26.—The Porte denies that the Turkish Governor and all the other Turkish officials have fled from Zana, capital of Yemen, and that the Insurgents have captured Hodeida on the Red Sea. The Porte also denies that there is any truth in the reported massacre of Christians in Armenia by a band of Kurds.

ARMED NEGRO MOB.

Cotton Pickers Driven Out and Cotton Gins Burned.

MARIANNA, Ark., Sept. 26.—Forty armed negroes appeared in St. Francis Township and drove all cotton pickers from the field and burned Bond's gin house. They threaten to drive all pickers out and burn all the gin houses. The Sheriff is on the ground with writs for the leaders.

Another posse left here this morning in obedience to his orders. Much excitement prevails, as a majority of the band are non-residents, and the authorities anticipate serious trouble.

Manager Locke in Trouble.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Charles E. Locke, the operatic manager, has been arrested by the sheriff upon an order issued by Judge Ingraham of the Supreme Court, in a suit by Emanuel C. Hedmont, an opera singer, to recover $1,200.

Sugar Refining Company Formed.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 26.—The Millenhauer Sugar Refining Co., formed to manufacture and refine sugar from the raw material in Brooklyn, was incorporated to-day with a capital of $600,000.

WHIPPED BY A MOB.

A Woman Tied to a Post and Beaten by Indiana White Caps.

FIFTY BLOWS WITH STICKS ON HER NAKED BODY.

Horribly Brutal Work Near the Village of Bird's Eye—Other Women Warned by the Maskers—Murdered by His Half Brother—Convict Gray's Strange Case—Ten Men to Hang.

BIRD'S EYE, Ind., Sept. 26.—This county is once more disgraced by mob work, which is doubly disgraceful in that it is perpetrated upon a defenseless woman. Mrs. Harmon, a woman of rather loose character, lived at Mentor, one mile west of here. Last night she was visited by a body of thirty men, who tied her to a post near her house and applied fifty lashes to her bare body.

After performing their work they called upon another woman, Mrs. Freeman, of like character, and warned her to leave the place within twenty-four hours or they would treat her to the same dose. She immediately departed.

Then the White Caps called upon Jacob Sapenfield and ordered him to visit Mrs. Harmon, untie her and publish to the nighbors on penalty of twenty-five lashes what they had done, and that they had whipped the Harmon woman because of her bad name.

When Sapenfield reached the helpless woman he found her tied to a post, naked, with the exception of one undergarment, which was turned over her head. Her body was torn from head to foot, as if by a knife, one terrible wound bleeding from every pore, while across her abdomen was a deep gash twelve inches long and so deep as to leave the bowels exposed and scattered around were the great hickory withes with which the woman had been flayed.

No one knows who composed the mob, nor whence they came, though nearly every citizen in town saw them by the light of the moon. The community is enraged that such an awful thing should be perpetrated in their midst.

Mrs. Harmon and her daughter were whipped in Birds Eye two years ago, just before they moved to Mentor.

LOOTED THE TOWN.

CITIZENS IN PURSUIT OF THE SAN ANTONE (MO.) BRIGANDS.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 26.—Shortly after 12 o'clock Thursday night a band of armed men invaded the little village of San Antone, seven miles east of here, and robbed every store in the town. The men worked quietly, but speedily, and the first intimation had of the visit was yesterday morning when Henry Closs, who keeps a general store, came down to open up. His place of business had been gutted completely, not enough groceries and clothing being left to fit out a small family. On the alarm being given it was discovered that the post-office had been robbed and every ounce of mail matter, including a large number of registered letters, carried off. Two hardware stores and a blacksmith shop in addition were found to have been looted, everything they contained being carried off.

The stuff taken, which comprised the entire stock in trade of every merchant in the village, must have been loaded into wagons and driven into the deep woods surrounding the place. From thence the thieves evidently expected to get it into St. Joseph or Kansas City. When the excitement cooled down a band of vigilantes were hastily armed and mounted, and are now scouring the country in pursuit of the raiders, who, if caught, will probably not be called upon to trouble a court of justice.

GRAY'S STRANGE CASE.

WHY THE CONVICT PLEADED GUILTY TO THE CENTRALIA MURDER.

SALEM, Ill., Sept. 26.—News has been received here that Jacob Brown had confessed the killing of a man in Centralia eight years ago, for which James Gray was now serving a life sentence. Gray, two days after the killing, went before an officer in Centralia and confessed to the murder. Subsequently, after having been indicted for murder, he informed his counsel that he wanted to plead guilty provided he would not be sentenced to hang. When told that no such promise could be made him, he then told his attorney that he was not guilty and the reason he had so confessed was because he thought by so doing he would be hung, as he was without money or friends and wanted to die. He was tried, went on the witness stand, testified that he was not guilty and gave his reasons for having stated that he had done the killing. He further stated that he had never before seen the murdered man till he found him dead in the car. The jury found him guilty and he was sentenced to the penitentiary for life. Less than a year ago he became very anxious for a pardon, and a petition was circulated to that effect and received many signatures but he is still in prison. Sheriff Heim of this city is investigating the revelations at Minneapolis and the case bids fair to be interesting and sensational.

ATROCIOUS CRIMES.

TERRIBLE ACCUSATIONS AGAINST TWO MEN AT MOBERLY, MO.

MOBERLY, Mo., Sept. 26.—John Jolly is a man over 50 years of age, and a well-known carpenter at the Wabash Railroad Co.'s shops here. Yesterday, with the quietness for which Grand-juries are noted, it indicted him for assault. The complainant is his daughter, aged 18. The daughter places the time as the 20th inst. Jolly was found at his home in the west part of Moberly, near the shops, and was arrested by Constable Hogue without trouble. The prisoner was taken to the Huntsville Jail to await further action.

Jolly heretofore bore an excellent reputation and was esteemed by all who knew him. The charge will not be believed without convincing proof. The particulars are as yet not made public, and those who know the man best are astounded at the charge.

ANOTHER CHARGE.

On the Fourth of July a coal miner named G. W. Sherman came to Moberly from Huntsville with his 6-year-old daughter and also a girl about the same age, as a companion to the other girl. The latter he persuaded to accompany him to Oakland cemetery. While there, as the girl charges, he attempted an assault. The girl was driven home by a friend, and Sherman followed later. His wife was informed of the circumstances, and he then fled. He was captured at Centreville, Io., on Wednesday and brought back yesterday and lodged in jail.

KILLED BY HIS HALF-BROTHER.

DECATUR, Mich., Sept. 26.—Near the village of Volinia, Cass County, on a large farm, lives a widow by the name of Corner. Living with her were two sons, Loren Corner and William Biggs, the latter a child by a former husband. Since her second husband's death she has managed the farm, assisted by the two boys. Considerable trouble has arisen between the half-brothers over the management of the farm. The ill-feeling culminated on Saturday last in Volinia, where an encounter took place between them. Biggs, who had lost one leg, was at a disadvantage, and Corner soon had him down, striking and stamping him until he was covered with blood. Biggs was taken home, where he was found to be injured internally, but no physician was called. He lingered along until yesterday, when he died at noon. A rough box was knocked together and the body dumped in, a hole dug in the orchard and the corps deposited there. Corner has not yet been arrested.

BROWN'S CONFESSION.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Sept. 26.—Jacob Brown, made desperate by a troubled conscience, yesterday confessed that he murdered an unknown man in a box car in Centralia, Ill., in 1883. He said he went in the car to sleep and stumbled over the unknown man. A fight ensued during which he killed the other with a club. Brown said he had heard another man was in the Penitentiary for the crime and that he wanted him liberated. The confession, which is full and complete, was made to Chief of Police Henderson.

TEN MEN TO HANG.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 26.—Judge Hudson passed sentence of death on ten men in a group here at 11 a. m. yesterday. The condemned were James, Allen Munroe and Henderson Young, John and Perry Adams, Lige, Thomas and John Atkinson and John Williams, all colored. They were convicted of the murder of Thornton Nance, also colored, on Aug. 5 last. A brother of the murdered man had made indecent proposals, it is stated, to the wife of John Atkinson and a gang of negroes waylaid Nance, who, together with his father and mother and three brothers, were coming home from church, killing Thorton Nance.

CHURCH BURNED BY INCENDIARIES.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Sept. 26.—Last night unknown persons set fire to the Sixth Avenue Episcopal Church, but it was discovered and extinguished. Early this morning a fire was started again in two places, and the church was almost entirely destroyed.

CRIMINAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

A negro was lynched for killing a white man at Asheville, N. C.

James Evans is now suspected of the murder of the Carr family at Quincy, Ky.

The death-watch has been placed at Murderer Williamson's cell in the Sedalia (Mo.) jail.

The notorious Dr. J. E. Chisholm was shot and killed at Magnolia, Ark., by Joe Stewart in a street fight.

Andy Frank, a barber in Pine Bluff, Ark., who is wanted at De Soto, Mo., on the charge of seduction, was arrested by officers yesterday.

W. T. Roberts was convicted of the murder of J. Kapelie at Denver, Colo., yesterday. Kapelle was walking along the street with Roberts' divorced wife, when he was killed.

William Gould, Jr., of Albany, N. Y., was convicted in the United States Court at Buffalo, N. Y., yesterday, of aiding in the wrecking of the Albany City National Bank. Sentence was deferred.

Ernest Lehman, the rejected lover of Miss Emma Bush, induced her to drink some soda water at her home at Newark, N. J., Friday night and she died soon afterwards of Paris green, the poison having been put in the soda water.

COL. WM. C. WILSON.

Death of a Well-Known Indiana Soldier and Politician.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Sept. 26.—Col. Wm. C. Wilson died this morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Lahr House of nervous prostration and softening of the brain. Col. Wilson was born in Crawfordsville in 1827. In 1850 he began the practice of law here. In 1855 he formed a partnership with the late Judge George Garton of Chicago, which continued until the latter removed to Chicago. Mr. Wilson entered the army in April, 1861, as a private in the Tenth Indiana Regiment, but was made Captain a few days later and then promoted to Major. He participated in the West Virginia campaign and was wounded at the battle of Rich Mountain. Later he was made Colonel of the Fortieth Indiana, and still later Colonel of the 125th Regiment. In 1867-69 he was Postmaster of this city. He was defeated for State Senator on the Greenback ticket in 1888 and for Attorney-General of the State on the Republican ticket in 1882.

DIED IN A STRANGE LAND.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—A sad scene occurred at Waterloo Station yefterday afternoon. A few minutes before the special train carrying passengers from London to Southampton to catch the Hamburg-American line steamer Fuerst, Bismarck, bound for New York, was upon the point of leaving a group of excited railroad officials gathered about one of the compartments of a first-class carriage. Then a tall, stout gentleman was lifted out of the carriage and laid upon the platform. A physician was promptly sent for, but before he could reach the station the traveler died without uttering a word. Papers found upon the dead man's body showed him to be Mr. A. L. Dessau of New York City. The Coroner was notified of Mr. Dessau's death and the body was subsequently removed to an undertaker's establishment.

The Coroner's investigation determined that Mr. Dessau died from heart disease. He seemed to be traveling alone, and is supposed to have been a diamond merchant. Before he was assisted out of the carriage, Mr. Dessau was able to request the railway officials, who came to his assitance when it was seen that he was dangerously ill, to take care of all the jewelry that was in his possession. After the Coroner's examination the body was taken to the Morgue.

NOT FOR BLAINE.

Why the Sons of Gen. Grant Dislike the Maine Statesman.

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—"I do not see how a Grant could vote for James G. Blaine for President, or even favor his nomination for that office on the Republican ticket." These are the words uttered by Jesse R. Grant in an interview with a reporter for the *Herald* at the Auditorium yesterday. "No, sir, Blaine will never receive a vote from me for any political office, after the way in which he and his friends attacked the personal honor of my father here in the Chicago Convention," continued Mr. Grant in answer to further inquiries. "Blaine and his friends virtually charged my father with being a thief and scoundrel, and being no better than a common pickpocket, and can it be expected that I could forget these malicious charges? There was no occasion for Blaine and his friends to enter into any such personalities. But under these circumstances you can easily see why a Grant naturally has an antagonism to Blaine.

"Blaine seems to be talked of for the presidential nomination everywhere, and as he wants the nomination there is no doubt he can get it," continued Mr. Grant. "He can get a solid delegation from California to the National Convention. Everything is Blaine on the coast. They have nothing particular against Harrison, but it is just simply everybody talks Blaine." Mr. Grant and family left for the East last night.

LODGE AND RUSSELL.

BOSTON, Sept. 26.—Henry Cabot Lodge this morning stated that he would accept the challenge of Hon. John E. Russell to a joint debate of the issues of the campaign.

THERE IS NO CORN.

The Result of S. V. White's Corner and Failure.

HE REALLY CONTROLLED THE SUPPLY OF THE CONTINENT.

Chicago Shipping Firms Entirely Out of Stock—No Corn to Be Had at Country Points—Mills Using the Cereal Must Wait for the New Crop—Effect on Prices.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 26.—A morning paper says: There is no corn in the country. The great bulk of the visible supply is tied up in the S. V. White & Co. failure. Had that one broker added 500,000 bushels more to his 7,000,000 bushels of cash corn, actually paid for, he would have practically owned the visible supply of corn of the United States and Canada and could have set his own price on it. The cash necessary to have made that purchase possible would have been less than $255,000. The amount he had invested in the cash article was $4,200,000. To have cornered corn would have taken not over $4,500,000.

The visible supply at Canadian ports at the time of the break was less than 50,000 bushels. To make the situation more striking, it is now cropping out that Chicago shipping firms generally carrying from 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 bushels of corn at this time of year, are almost entirely out. When the market broke Eastern dealers and jobbers, in anticipation of the failure of the corner, had refused to stock up, waiting for the large holdings to be thrown on the market. This has not been done as they expected, and they have but little grain with which to fill their orders from abroad. To make good the deficit it is estimated that it will take the greatest part of the Chicago stock, and consequently only a small amount will be applicable on October contracts or for export from this point.

The estimated receipts for October are placed at 200 cars a day, while the export demand at New York alone has taken 2,000,000 bushels of corn since last Saturday, and importers say there is every probability of an increase in the demand on a basis of present prices.

"Professionals, who have shorted October corn," said a prominent broker, "in anticipation of a sale of bankrupt stock, are beginning to see the weakness of their position and will probably be active competitors with the legitimate trade for what little corn there will be for sale."

One board of trade firm declared that out of 100 houses in the principal towns throughout the country, they were unable to buy a car load of corn all told yesterday. Other firms find the difficulty and account for the ¾c advance on both September and October corn on that score.

Local industries, such as starch factories, hominy mills, distilleries, glucose works and kindred manufacturers in Illinois and Indiana are coming to Chicago to buy the cash corn which they usually purchase direct from country points. Owing to White's September deal, and the high prices ruling in Chicago ten days ago, the available supplies were shipped here instead of going in their usual channels. The gap between the break in the corner and the consequent entanglement of so big a bulk as 7,000,000 bushels of corn in litigation leaves the country practically without a grain until the new crop begins to come.

PRONOUNCED A BULL STORY.

The rumors that all the old corn in the country has been tied up in consequence of the White failure, and that there will be no supply available until the new crop comes in receives little credence on 'Change in St. Louis. It is regarded entirely as a bull story emanating from Chicago, and circulated with the object of causing a rise in prices. The same tale was current last spring, and since that time 20,000,000 bushels of corn have been shipped. When the syndicate led by White attempted to corner September corn they acted on this theory, which has been proved to be ill-founded. It is well understood on 'Change that the failure was caused not so much by the amount of corn already sent to market as by the knowledge that a great additional quantity was ready for shipment. Had the amount been small, arrangements could have been made to carry it. How great the amount is no one is prepared to say, but the opinion is universal that there is no danger of corn being tied up until the new crop is ready for the market, and contrary reports are put down as bull rumors.

THE COMING CROP.

FAVORABLE WEATHER FOR MATURING CORN—MICHIGAN AND IOWA.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept 26.—The reports indicate that the weather conditions of the past week, while favorable for maturing corn, have been too hot for the best results in all crops now in the ground. The week has been the warmest on record of the past 16 years for this period, and the lack of rain fall during the latter portion of the week has been unfavorable to fall feeding.

The corn crop is now beyond danger of frost and will all be cut by the last of next week, the majority being now in shock. Wheat seeding is progressing slowly now on account of the dry condition of the soil, and the wheat that was not up before the hot wave begun has not yet shown above ground. The wheat that was up is reported as doing very well, and in good condition, but that rain is badly needed to promote a steady growth. There promises to be a large acreage of wheat sown this fall. There has been no rain in the State since the 20th, and the continued high temperatures during the week and uninterrupted sunshine has not been favorable to the best maturing of the late crops in the ground.

On the whole the season with all its set backs and cool weather has been fairly successful, and the crops have all turned out better than was anticipated. This is the last bulletin this year.

IN IOWA.

DES MOINES, Io., Sept. 26.—The Iowa Weather and Crop Service issued to-day the last bulletin of the season. It reports daily average temperature of the past week 15 deg. above the normal, with small amount of rain. Corn is practically secure, and not more than usual proportion will be soft and chaffy. The acreage in Iowa has probably been overestimated, and the amount planted reduced 5 to 10 per cent by flood, storms, cut worms, etc., etc. But allowing for all drawbacks the State will produce 300,000,000 bushels sound corn. The director further estimates an output of 120,000,000 bushels oats and 20,000,000 bushels potatoes. It is the best all-around crop season in the history of the State.

James Darling and Sandy Ferry, while dynamiting stumps yesterday near Garfield, Pa., were instantly killed by the premature explosion of a cartridge.

ON THE TALLYHO.

Mrs. Harrison's Party Coaching Through Massachusetts.

BOSTON, Sept. 26.—Mrs. Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. McKee enjoyed a coaching trip yesterday in Mr. Henry F. Cobb's handsome tallyho drawn by eight spirited horses. The party comprised besides the distinguished guests, and the host and hostess, ex-Congressman Candler, ex-Gov. and Mrs. J. Q. A. Brackett, Miss Cobb, Miss Brackett. The coaching party proceeded to Lexington through Newtonville and Waltham. Various points of historical interest in Lexington were visited under the escort of Col. W. A. Tower, Rev. Edward G. Porter, Rev. Carleton A. Staples and Mr. Richard G. Tower. At 1 o'clock the party visited the Town Hall and inspected the statuary, portraits and revolutionary relics. An opportunity was then given the town people to meet Mrs. Harrison, and an informal reception was held in the hall of the town library. Nearly 400 ladies and gentlemen were presented.

After luncheon the party departed for Lexington in the tallyho on the homeward trip, stopping on the way for a short time at the residence of ex-Gov. Brackett in Arlington, where they were pleasantly entertained. The return trip was made through Arlington, Belmont, Waverly and Watertown to Newton, and the party arrived at Mr. Cobb's house shortly after 6 o'clock int;he evening, reaching to hotel in time for dinner. On the way the Lexington and return the coaching party attracted the attention of hundreds of spectators. Mrs. Harrison was frequently cheered and the ladies waved their hankerchiefs. Mrs. Harrison responed by waving hers in return and was much pleased by the attention shown her by the residents of the several localities through which she passed. At the cross roods about a mile from Lexington, the was presented with a souvenir volume bound in pink satin, containing photographs of the historical buildings, monuments and objects of interest in the town of Lexington and was accepted by Mrs. Harrison in pleasantly expressed words of appreciation. From the school houses and many of the public buildings along the route flags were displayed in honor of Mrs. Harrison, and some of the residences were decorated with flags and bunting. At noon to-day Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. McKee will dine with Mrs. William Windom at Newton. In the afternoon, 4 until 6 o'clock, the President's family will be given a reception by the ladies of the Newton Club in the club house at Newtonville. The wives of Gov. Russell, Gen. Banks and ex-Gov. Brackett are among those who will be present.

PORTER'S BUNGLING.

It Will Be Made Manifest by the New York Committee's Report.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The special report of the committee appointed by the National Civil Service Reform League to inquire into the taking of the New York census is completed. Dudley Foulke, Chairman of the committee, was asked last night as to the result of the committee's work. Mr. Foulke would not go into the details of the report in advance of its presentation to the Executive Committee at the annual meeting of the League next week, but he told more than enough to justify the belief that it will arraign Mr. Porter and his work in very emphatic terms. He remarked, however: "I will say that if the President had been willing at the start to have put the Census Bureau under civil service rules it would have entirely disarmed the criticism which has been made which was conducted upon partisan principles and for political purposes. The Civil Service Commissioners wanted him to do this, but Porter objected and it was not done.

"The great bulk of the clerks, supervisors and enumerators in the bureau were Republicans and were put there for political reasons.

"Naturally the party excluded from taking part in this enumeration will complain. For if it were entirely fair why should not the men who took the census be put in without regard to party. I am a Republican, but I see no reason why that party should monopolize the taking of the enumeration of the inhabitants of this country any more than they should monopolize the banking or dry goods business. If they insist on doing all the work themselves it will very naturally be inferred that there is a party reason for it."

HIS BRAINS BLOWN OUT.

Suicide of a Farmer Near Macon, Mo., This Morning.

MACON, Mo., Sept. 26.—Early this morning Granville Thompson, a farmer seven miles south of Macon, got up and told his wife he was going to the pasture for his cows and stated that he would take his musket with him, which he did. When he got six or eight steps in the yard from the house his wife heard a report from the gun. On going out she found her husband lying on the ground with his brains blown out. The contents of the gun entered just above and between the right eye and ear and passed out near the top of the opposite side of his head. He lived three hours. Nothing had previously been noticed wrong with him. It cannot be told whether he committed suicide or not. From information received it is supposed that he did. An inquest will be held this afternoon. Thompson was an intelligent man and he was well known in Macon where he had a number of relations.

COLLISION AT SEA.

Crash of Steamer and Schooner Off Cape Cod.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 26.—The steamer Simon Dumois from Banes, Cuba, reports that she was in collision at 3 a. m., yesterday fifty miles southeast of Cape Cod with the four masted schooner C. A. Campbell of Bath, bound for Newport News. The steamer lost her foremast, and had a large hole stove in her bow below the water line and found it necessary to jetison 3,200 of the 5,000 bunches of bananas she had on board. She will remain here several days for repairs. The effect of the collision on the Campbell has not been learned.

FREIGHT TRAINS MEET.

OWING'S MILLS, Md., Sept. 26.—Freight trains on the Western Maryland Railroad were in collision this morning near this place. Conductor Michael Murphy was probably fatally injured and Foreman Chas. Smith slightly injured. The engine and seven cars are a total wreck.

FELL FROM A BALLOON.

MT. PLEASANT, Mich., Sept. 26.—Lewis B. Earl of Marshall, Mich., an aeronaut, agreed to take Frank Thayer of this city up with him yesterday. Thayer was to come down by means of the parachute, while Earl used the balloon. Thayer clung to a rope several feet below the the bar on which Earl sat when the balloon was let go, but the two had not ascended fifty feet before one of the trapeze ropes broke, precipitating both to the ground. Earl's neck was broken and Thayer's left arm and foot were fractured.

THE SYRIAN BOY PREACHER.

He Sails From New York to Visit His Parents in Damascus.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 26.—A telegram from Inspector Byrnes of the New York police received this morning dispels all fear for the safety of Fares Anton Behannessy, the 12-year-old Syrian boy preacher, who disappeared on Wednesday under circumstances which led to a suspicion that he had been kidnapped or foully dealt with. Mr. Byrnes says he is in New York and will sail this morning in company with two of his relatives. He is going to visit his parents, who live in Damascus, and will return to this city in a couple of months.

IN THE FIRE'S PATH.

Ruined Farms and Burned Buildings on Northwest Prairies.

TOWNS AND VILLAGES THREATENED BY THE FLAMES.

Lumber Camp and Bridges Destroyed in the Pineries—Leaping Through the Forests—Wisconsin Cranberry Marshes Swept Over and the Plants Charred—The Day's Fire Record.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 26.—Wild fire is still sweeping over the prairies of the Northwest. Dispatches from various points show that past years have never witnessed fires of such magnitude as are now devouring property. In the region of Hinckley the whole country has been swept by the flames, and everything has been burned outside of the towns except a few lumber camps here.

Thousands of tons of hay on lowlands will be destroyed. Reports from the Southwest along the line of the Great Northern say ; the danger seems to be over unless there is a heavy wind again. The fire is burning northward towar d Superior and is said to be in the vicinity of Partridge and Kerry.

At Oak Park and Princeton, the people were obliged to turn out en masse to fight away the fires. In both instances they were successful. On every side of Milaca the fires are still burning. Nothing but a heavy rain will take away all fears.

After a long and brave fight with the forest fire the people in Kanabre County are feeling relieved. The high wind has gone down and no further dangers are anticipated in the settled portion of the county. So far as heard no lives have been lost. The new bridge across the Knife River was burned and several lumbering camps with valuable kits. The fire is working its way north and damage to standing pine will amount to thousands of dollars. Several houses at Mille Lacs Lake were destroyed.

A *Dispatch* special from Turtle Lake this morning says the village is entirely surrounded by the flames, which are licking up everything. Word has reached the village that the family of Mr. Nesse, a farmer living a short distance out of town, consisting of himself, his wife and several small children, were hemmed in by the flames, and they are no doubt burned to death as no help could reach them.

WISCONSIN SCOURGED.

GREEN BAY, Wis., Sept. 26.—All day yesterday the smoke from the surrounding forest and marsh fires hung like a black pall over this city, and last night, away to the west, the flames could be seen as they leaped from tree to tree in the great pine forest. The situation on the Upper Peninsula, especially in the Peshtigo and Abrems district, is growing desperate. Thousands of men are out battling with the fire in almost vain attempt to stop its course. Southwest of this city the little hamlet of Snyderville is threatened with destruction. It is reported that fifteen farm houses to the southwest in the path of the fire were destroyed. At Peshtigo all the inhabitants are engaged in digging fire trenches as a safeguard against the fire, which is drawing dangerously near.

The stage from Clam Falls brings news of a terrible fire there. Twelve buildings were burned Wednesday at a loss of about $8,000, with no insurance. It is not known whether the fire originated from forest fires. All but two buildings in the village were burned.

BURNED BUILDINGS.

HEAVY LOSS SUSTAINED BY THE CITY OF SAVANNAH, GA.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Sept. 26.—The losses by last night's fire will foot up $400,000. S. Guckenheimer & Sons' building and stock are a total loss. The building cost $90,000 and was one of the finest in the city. It was insured for $40,000. The firm's stock of groceries and liquors was valued at $175,000; insured for $100,000. Henry Solomon & Son, wholesale groceries and liquors, adjoining Guckenheimer & Sons, were also burned out. Their stock was valued at $70,000 and fully covered by insurance. G. A. Hudson, wholesale fish and oysters, was damaged $1,000, fully insured. Three tenements were burned and damaged to the extent of $12,000. The fire was under control by midnight. It broke out in the liquor department of Guckenheimer & Sons, and was followed by an explosion of liquors. The inflammable character of the stock and its inaccessible location made it impossible for the firemen to get control of the fire before the building was in flames.

GREENVILLE (ILL.) MILLS.

GREENVILLE, Ill., Sept. 26.—This city was visited last night with a disastrous fire which destroyed the large mill and elevator owned by the Export Milling Co., also the Sayles Steam Evaporator and the Greenville Hay Press Co.'s buildings. The fire was caused by an explosion of the boiler in the evaporator building. Over 20,000 bushels of wheat was burned, on which there was no insurance. The loss entailed will approximate $150,000. This is the third mill that the Export Milling Co. have lost within a year.

CANADA'S SHAME.

Sir Hector Langevin Whitewashed by the Dominion Parliament.

OTTAWA, Ontario, Sept. 25.—Sir Hector Langevin has been whitewashed, as it was expected he would be, by the Dominion Parliament, which finds that he is innocent of the charge of connivance in the frauds unearthed in the letting of contracts for public work. When the question was taken on Mr. Groid's motion for the adoption of the majority report exculpating Mr. Langevin, it was carried by a vote of 101 ayes to 86 noes.

There was an exciting scene in the committee which was investigating the serious charges formulated against Secretary of State Chapleau. Lister had evidence of a most convincing character against the Secretary and he directly charged him with boodling.

The Government, however, by bulldozing and bluff, carried the day.

It is said that Mercier will risk his chances in appeal to the people. The refusal of the Lieutenant-Governor to grant writs for two by-elections is said to be the cause of this resolve, Mr. Mercier considering it an act of persecution.

The Bowdoin Explorers.

BRUNSWICK, Me., Sept. 26.—Prof. Lee, Austin Cory and E. B. Young, composing the last instalment of the Bowdoin Laboratory Expedition, arrived here to-day. Prof. Lee says that the duplicates of valuable relics they have secured will go to the World's Fair at Chicago.

NO DIVIDEND NOW.

Jay Gould Discusses the Prospects of the Missouri Pacific.

STOCKHOLDERS MUST WAIT UNTIL PROFITS ARE EARNED.

The Wizard Has No Device by Which He Can Conjure Earnings Out of Lean Years—The Present Quarter Will Be Passed Without a Division of Funds—Other Railway Properties.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The *Daily Stockholder*, a financial newspaper for investors, prints the following: Mr. Jay Gould said to us yesterday: "Missouri Pacific has passed through three pretty lean years, and has paid its dividends. I see nothing in the future of that or of other properties in which I am interested to justify me in parting with my holdings. But I have waited and hoped for increased net earnings which have not come, and I am disappointed. I am responsible to the stockholders for good management, and they have a right to dividends when earned, but I am not responsible to them or to anybody else for unearned dividends. I have no secret device for creating a dividend surplus which does not result from a careful and economical management of a property. I give the most of my time, more energy and vitality than I have to spare for such purpose, to the management of Missouri Pacific, Union Pacific and other properties and never receive $1 as compensation. I accept no salary from any corporation with which I am connected. Besides this I am always advancing them large sums of money. I have had as high as $8,000,000 loaned to properties at 6 per cent when 25 to 50 per cent was bid for more money on Wall street. Take Union Pacific as an example. I undertook its management last fall to keep it from going into a receiver's hands. I have ever since loaned it large amounts of money, indorsed its paper other loans and worked so hard and incessantly to extricate it from its bankrupt condition that it pretty nearly finished me."

Mr. Gould here refers to the effect upon his health, saying: "And yet I am accused of wishing to defeat the very object for which I have been laboring."

"Will the current dividend on Missouri Pacific be declared, Mr. Gould?"

"I think the dividends should be deferred," was Mr. Gould's reply.

"Is there any doubt as to what action may be taken?"

"No, I think not; you may assume that the dividend will not be declared or paid this quarter. If the returns for the year show that a mistake has been made we can easily remedy it."

"On what do you base such action, Mr. Gould?"

"On Missouri Pacific net earnings, and on the fact that it cost nearly $800,000 to fund our matured 7 per cent bonds into issues at a lower rate of interest. The bond market was such that we could not sell new bonds so we had to pay differences. The road owes this money."

"Mr. Gould, how do you account for Missouri Pacific earnings being disappointing, especially when compared with some other roads in the West?"

"Owing to poor crops last year some of our branch lines have hardly earned their interest charges; but the great trouble now is that six roads have formed a combination or pool east of St. Louis and we are losing our grain traffic. It does not come via St. Louis, but goes direct to Chicago from Kansas City."

"Is there no help for that state of affairs, Mr. Gould?"

"Oh, yes, we will overcome it in a few weeks. We are pushing to completion a connecting link that will enable us to deliver wheat and other grain at New Orleans for export over the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain at the same price that the other roads can lay it down at Chicago. We will also have a connection with and an outlet at Memphis."

The paper regards the above as the most important part of the interview and says: "Perhaps later in the season people will understand why Mr. Gould wishes to defer Missouri Pacific's dividend. The 'combination' of six roads and the new outlet for Missouri Pacific's grain traffic may be interesting questions later on."

EFFECT IN WALL STREET.

GOULD'S BROKERS GATHER IN MISSOURI PACIFIC AND CHECK THE RAID.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—All the brokers' offices were crowded this morning before the exchange opened, and every one was engrossed in discussing the position of Jay Gould in the market. The most interesting development was the publication of an interview with Mr. Gould in a Wall street paper that is commonly alluded to as Gould's organ, it being generally the first to make definite statements in regard to his affairs. The statement contained therein caused continued anxiety in regard to Gould's opinion on the market. It was hoped yesterday when the meeting of the Missouri Pacific directors was called for Wednesday that a dividend of at least 1½ per cent would be declared. With this interview, however, all hopes of a dividend were killed and the impression became general that the day would be a critical one for the stock market. This anxiety was increased by the position of all the brokers who are generally believed to execute Gould orders, and who are predicting all kinds of disasters in the market. For these reasons the opening of the market was anxiously awaited. The first sales in Missouri Pacific was made at an advance of 1 per cent, however, and enormous buying orders in the general market said to have been given by the Vanderbilts, caused sharp advances. Lake Shore was rushed up to 125, the highest point reached in ten years, and Erie and other stocks all moved up sharply. When this movement was in full swing, however, Gould brokers gathered in Missouri Pacific. It started down with a rush, falling from 68½ to 62⅜, a decline of 6⅛ per cent, in a few minutes. An attack was also made on the Union Pacific and it was forced down 2 per cent. Heavy buying orders were kept in the stock, however, and when the raid was over all the stock offered was taken until the highest figures of the morning were reached again. Meanwhile the announcement that four-fifths of the Union Pacific notes had been subscribed for was made and this was taken as a signal for a general buying movement, in which the Missouri Pacific even joined.

After the close of the exchange it was generally believed that the market had passed the crisis safely and that the worst effect of the Missouri Pacific incident had been witnessed.

GOULD AND SAGE.

THEY WERE DECEIVED BY REPORTS OF THE UNION PACIFIC'S CONDITION.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Mr. Sage is authority for the statement that he and Mr. Gould were deceived as to the amount of the Union Pacific floating debt when they determined to finance the company. Their information as to the amount of indebtedness was, according to one of the parties in interest, derived chiefly from Vice-President Gardner M. Lane, who up to that time had special charge of the details of the company's finances. Messrs. Gould and Sage were given to understand that the debt amounted to between $10,000,000 and $11,000,000. They did not at the start intend to become individually responsible for any part of the obligations of the company and at least one of the number, Mr. Sage, has lived up to the resolution that he made at that time. That the others have not done so will appear further on in the narrative.

In due time Mr. Gould and his associates discovered the real condition of the Union Pacific Co. To finance it proved to be a bigger job than they cared to struggle with. They pacified a good many creditors, shifted loans and incidentally helped along a bull campaign last spring with the hope of improving the general situation to an extent that would enable them to win outside support for a funding scheme. But the spring is not the season of the year in which to engineer a bull campaign, and though the one referred to was successful on the surface it did not produce the expected result with investors. Besides the exertions of Mr. Gould proved too much for him, and he was obliged to give up business and go West for his health for the summer.

There is some strong circumstantial evidence in support of the view that when Mr. Gould was obliged to relinquish business he also abandoned the project of financing the Union Pacific Co. Possibly he thought that by appearing to abandon it the creditors themselves, who are really more interested in the matter than any one else, would come to the front and assume the task which has proved too much for him. And this is precisely what has occurred. In self-protection the larger creditors got together, and after many weeks of labor have prevailed upon the holders of about $14,000,000 of the claims against the company to accept 92 per cent of their value in three-year collateral trust notes, bringing 6 per cent interest.

To pay off those creditors who, for various reasons, will not accept the notes, it is necessary to raise about $5,000,000 in cash. It has been slow work drumming up subscriptions to an amount of notes which would yield the requisite cash. The directors of the company subscribed for some of them and a few outside subscriptions were also obtained. It is difficult to ascertain what proportion of the necessary cash subscription was lacking down to yesterday morning, for the reason that a number of promises to aid the company were attended by conditions.

The Creditors' Committee of the Union Pacific Road met to-day and on their adjournment it was announced that four-fifths of the $5,500,000 collateral trust notes for the extension of the floating debt offered through Drexel, Morgan & Co., had already been subscribed for. Jay Gould subscribed for $1,000,000 and the 10 per cent required on date of subscription early in the morning.

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MRS. VAIL'S INSURANCE.

A Case Which Will Establish a Precedent—Federal News.

The Vail tragedy, which began with the death of Mary F. Vail, wife of Charles T. Vail, Feb. 11, 1890, and which occupied the public attention so largely until the trial of Vail on a charge of killing his wife to get the insurance on her life, which trial resulted in a hung jury, is brought before the public notice once more by a case in the United States Court. The case is that of L. Claud McElwee, administrator of the estate of Mary F. Vail, against the New York Life Insurance Co. This is a suit to collect $5,000 insurance on the life of Mrs. Charles F. Vail, whose husband's second trial on a charge of killing her is set for Oct. 5, in the Criminal Court. The present case was not heard to-day, the attorneys not being ready, and by a coincidence it goes over until Oct. 2, causing the two trials to be heard in the same week—the one that of a man tried for his life on a charge of murdering his wife, and the other a claim for $5,000 asked to be paid to the administrator of the dead woman's estate for the benefit of her legal heirs, which in this instance would be the husband charged with her killing.

Another peculiar feature in the matter is the fact that one of the lawyers who assisted in the prosecution of Vail at his first trial is in the present case attorney for the plaintiff. The same legal talents are employed to force the insurance company to pay over the money for Vail's benefit, that were used to try to have him hanged on the charge that he killed his wife in order to obtain this money. The attorney is ex-Gov. Charles P. Johnson. His brother, Mr. John D. Johnson, represented the firm in the case before Judge Thayer to-day. The petition sets forth the fact of the issuance of the policy to Mary F. Vail on Aug. 5, 1899, six months before she met her death. The policy was on the tontine plan, to expire Aug. 5, 1909. Her death is also alleged and the fact that she died intestate, leaving no issue. The administrator, therefore, asks for a judgment for the amount of the policy, $5,000, together with interest at the rate of 10 per cent and costs.

The reason of the delay in presenting the matter to the court is the fact that the attorneys are endeavoring to agree upon a stipulation of facts to be presented to the court. They have agreed upon some points, but not all. Mr. F. N. Judson represents the insurance company. In the event of an agreed statement of facts being arrived at by the attorneys no evidence will be taken in the case, but the matter will be submitted to the Court on points of law.

The case hinges upon a fine point of law. The policy reads that the money is to be paid to the children of Mrs. Vail or their "executors, administrators or assigns." The insurance people hold that as Mrs. Vail died without having any children, the policy lapses, and the money remains with the insurance company. Judge Thayer's decision in the case will be looked for with deep interest, as it will establish a precedent in cases of this nature.

Opinion by Judge Thayer.

Judge Thayer handed down an opinion to-day in the case of the Societe Anonyene de la Distillerie de la Liqueur Benedictine de l'abbaye de Fecamp against the Western Distilling Co. An injunction had been issued against the Western Distilling Co., which order of Court was violated by the company and a fine of $50 was entered against it. The plaintiff's attorney came into court and asked that the fine be ordered paid to his company, a French corporation, as damages for the alleged injury sustained by the violation of the court's decree by the Western Distilling Co. The Court refused to grant the order.

Judge Blodgett Here.

Judge Blodgett, Judge of the United States Court at Chicago, occupied the bench with Judge Thayer to-day. Judge Blodgett is visiting his brother, Mr. W. H. Blodgett of this city, and was present in the court-room to-day as the guest of Judge Thayer.

Before the United States Commissioner.

William Palmer of Dunklin County, Mo., had a hearing before United States Commissioner Crawford to-day on a charge of retailing liquor without paying a special tax. He was held in default of $300 bonds to answer the charge Oct. 13, 1891.

CIRCUIT COURT NEWS.

Constable Weber's Bondsmen Sued for an Alleged Illegal Levy—Other Suits.

The State to the use of Henry Gehm brought suit to-day against Emil Weber, George J. Fritsch, Fred Diekmann, Martin Gruny, Ernest Weber and P. J. Shuck on Constable Weber's bond because of an alleged illegal levy charged to have been made by the Constable. The property levied on was a horse belonging to plaintiff, who is a married man, and who claims that his exemption rights were not recognized. He says he has been damaged in the sum of $150.

The Fruin-Bambrick Construction Co. filed suit to-day against Conrad Bickel, asking judgment for $800 for stone alleged to have been sold defendant.

The will of John O'Neal was admitted to probate to-day. He gives a diamond necklace to Mrs. Cora E. Mason, wife of M. J. Mason, formerly Cora E. Camp. The rest of his estate he leaves to Philip J. Heuer, his half sister, Matilda E. Merett, formerly Matilda E. Griffin, living near Pittsburg, Pa., and Mrs. Cora E. Mason, in equal parts. Philip J. Heuer is appointed executor.

Letters of administration were granted to-day on the following estates: To Joseph N. Zumbalem on the estate of John L. Link, valued at $15,000; to Samuel Murta on the estate of Anne Cabal, valued at $2,500, and to Thomas Slattery on the estate of Richard Slattery, valued at $400. Sarah Link qualified as the executrix of the estate of Maria Link, which is valued at $15,000.

The widow's claim in the Kitwood case was before the Probate Court to-day. This is the case in which a woman claims to be the widow of the late Rev. Peter Kitwood, pastor of the Bethel Mission, who died leaving a handsome property and was believed to have been a batchelor. The matter was laid over for two weeks in order to allow the lawyer of the alleged widow time to collect his evidence.

LAST DAY'S SESSION.

Odd Fellows Vote Against Admitting Minors.

THE SALOON QUESTION LAID OVER FOR ANOTHER YEAR.

The Sovereign Grand Lodge Adjourns Sine Die at 3 O'Clock This Afternoon and the Delegates Will Depart To-Night for Home—Work Done at Yesterday Afternoon's Session.

At the session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, at Addington's Hall this morning, very little business was transacted. The constitutional amendment providing for admission into the order of youths of 18 years was defeated by a vote of 107 to 58, the necessary three-fourths vote not having been obtained. This measure has been before the Sovereign Grand Lodge for several years, and has assumed various phases, an entering wedge having been sought in the guise of admission of sons and brothers of Odd Fellows and sons of Daughters of Rebekah, all of which propositions have been invariably rejected. The lodge also decided to postpone for a year consideration of the liquor question. The effect of this will be to leave saloon-keepers eligible for a year to come.

SMOOTHED OVER.

At the afternoon session yesterday the memorial of Franklin Ellis asking for justice from the Sovereign Grand Lodge for his deposition and arrest by Lieut.-Gen. John C. Underwood, because of a mistaken order, was given to a committee, who reported that Mr. Ellis had been done no wrong. The Grand Lodge amended their report so as to exonerate Mr. Ellis. Some of the Grand Representatives were inclined to criticise Gen. Underwood's course towards Mr. Ellis, but any unpleasant remarks were happily averted. It was decided to hold a grand demonstration of Odd Fellows at Chicago during the World's Fair, and the Grand Sire and Lieutenant-General were authorized to take such steps as were deemed expedient or necessary to accomplish the desired purpose.

A resolution praying for the removal of the office of Grand Secretary from Columbus, O., to Baltimore, Md., was offered by Past Grand Sire Sanders and referred to a committee of ten persons who were instructed to report on it at the next meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

Gen. Underwood's proposition to allow members of lodges to join the Patriarchs Militant branch of the order without having passed through the Encampment branch evoked a sharp discussion and was finally defeated. Representative Nolan of Tennessee, Past Grand Sire Sanders and Past Grand Representative White made vigorous arguments against the resolution, denouncing it as attempt to popularize the military branch of the order at the expense of the encampment branch.

The proposition to revive the holding of national and State conventions of the Daughters of Rebekah was voted down.

The complaint of the jurisdiction of Wyoming in regard to the confiscation of Odd Fellows' property at Fort Washakel, Wyo., was referred to the Grand Sire with instructions to take proper measures.

A resolution to permit lodges to use the widows and orphans' fund for the erection of orphans' homes was adopted, and the proposition to make it obligatory upon all lodges to make weekly payments of not less than $2 to sick members was adopted.

The use of the emblems of the order for advertising purposes by insurance companies and building associations was condemned.

To-morrow morning's POST-DISPATCH will be a souvenir issue containing a synopsis of the week's proceedings of the Grand Lodge, and portraits and sketches of the Grand Representatives and Patriarchs Militant. Extra copies of this edition can be had of Col. M. F. Doud.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS.

Previous to their departure from the city, Canton Atkins No. 1, Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., of Paducah, Ky., passed the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the members of Canton Atkins extend thanks for the many courtesies extended them during their stay in the city of St. Louis.

Copies of this resolution were sent to Col. M. F. Doud, Gen. E. M. Sloan, Canton St. Louis; Patriarchs Militant, No. 22; the Reception Committee and the Manager of Hotel Rozier.

The visiting Patriarchs Militant all left for their homes last evening and all those Odd Fellows who remained over to-day to attend the session of the Grand Lodge will leave for their homes this evening.

REAL ESTATE INTERESTS.

Sales of Residence Properties—Larger Transactions Under Negotiation.

Only a few sales were reported to-day and they pertained to small residence properties. Larger negotiations are pending, however, with a probability that they will be closed soon.

SALES OF THE DAY.

The R. C. Greer Real Estate Co. reports the following sale: The two three-story nine-room stone-front houses, 2738 and 2740 Chestnut street, with lot 50x131, renting for $100 per month, from Dr. G. M. Maughs to Phil Pollack, who bought on speculation.

Bradley & Quinette report the following sales:

Wells avenue—No. 5228, a six-room brick dwelling and 25x213 feet of ground, from L. C. Sydnor to Ann E. Evans for $3,500, and premises of corresponding description adjoining, No. 5226 Wells avenue, from the same grantor to Mary Balch for $3,500.

Cottage avenue—No. 4081, a four-room frame house and 25-foot lot for $1,050, from Wm. Mollmann to Mary J. Warlop.

Henry Hiemenz reports the following sales: Hartford street—South side, between Grand and Cabanne avenue, lot 50x125, owned by R. T. Blow, was sold to Joseph Weismueller for $20 per foot.

Louisiana avenue—East side, between Arsenal and Pestalozzi streets, lot 25x125, owned by the Arsenal & Tower Grove Improvement Co., was sold to Jos. Littenecker for $13.75 per foot.

Sidney street—Southwest corner of Second street, a two-story brick building, with lot 21x125, owned by John J. Meyer, was sold to Martin Niebling for $3,500.

California avenue—West side, between Cherokee and Potomac streets, lot 25x125, owned by Harry Von Soden, was sold to F. S. Juengling for $30 per foot.

Virginia avenue—East side, between Arsenal and Pestalozzi streets, lot 50x125, owned by the Arsenal & Tower Grove Improvement Co., was sold to J. H. Wulter for $14 per foot.

Hartford street—North side, between Grand and Cabanne avenues, lot 45x144, owned by R. T. Blow, was sold to Peter J. Diets for $20 per foot.

The firm of Nelson & Mersman, whose name was mentioned with another agency with reference to a Mt. Cabanne transaction, say that the alleged sale was nothing more than a division of property among the stockholders of the corporation.

Carondelet Jottings.

The South End Gun Club will give a medal shoot to-morrow afternoon at its grounds in St. Louis County.

St. Boniface Branch, No. 265, C. K. of A., will give an entertainment to-morrow evening at St. Boniface Hall.

In Police Justice Meegan's court this morning Albert Miller was fined $5 and costs for using indecent language on the streets. He was forwarded to the Work-house in default of paying the fine.

Joseph Hodo had an altercation with a man known as "Lame Mike" last evening on Courtois street and the Iron Mountain Railway. It is claimed that during the trouble Lame Mike stabbed Hodo in the right side with a pocket knife, inflicting a slight wound.

Dr. MacQueary Deposed.

CLEVELAND, O., Sept 26.—Rev. Howard MacQueary was formally deposed from the Episcopal ministry by Bishop Leonard last night.

IT WAS HIS DESTINY.

Gambler Hale Robinson Has Lost His Beautiful Wife.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—No man is better known on the upper Rialto than Hale Robinson. He is a sporting man of that peculiar type who make and hold the friendship of men in every walk of life. He is a genial fellow, with the physique of a Hercules moulded in the graceful outline of an Apollo, with jet black hair and mustache. He is a familiar figure at the races and is a great patron of boxing.

Four years ago, says the WORLD of this morning, Robinson went to Europe. He was very fortunate in several plays he made and won the attention of a sporting nobleman, who is almost as well known on this side as he is over there. The American was to some extent made a protage by his English friend. They were together so much as to cause comment. Then it was learned that "Milord" was a devotee of the game that Ah Sin played so handily. And he was receiving practical, though costly lessons from the clever Robinson.

About that time Robinson was introduced to Miss Sarah Marguerite Froom, said to be the near relative of Maj. Froom of the British Army. The only man of that name in the British Army register is George Froom, Major of the famous Connaught Rangers, retired last year on half pay. The young lady was a handsome blonde of considerable literary ability. It was not the proper thing for an "American sport" to meet a young English lady, but that did not trouble "Milord," who, it is said, brought about the meeting at his own house. Robinson attracted the English girl. The great fellow, with the figure of a giant and his breezy, Yankee way, was a study for her. He told her in his frank manner that he was not what she might imagine. "I'm a child of destiny," he said. "Not of your world. We can't be friends."

But she persisted. He was to her the ideal John Oakhurst. She even talked over his good qualities to her friends. This man was bluff in a way, yet gentle as a child in the presence of women. He was picturesque and witty. With much tact he managed to see her frequently.

A story in a monthly periodical proved how deep was the impression he made on Miss Froom. It was in Bret Harte style and wove a pretty tale around the American. Another poem, "The Gamester's Love," was more or less marked by the influence of the gaming table. Here is the final verse:

And if the roulette turn of coming years
Should bring another love's beatitude,
Then let my soul, arising from its tears
A sigh, sink in the dim infinitude.

The publication of this created a sensation. A trip to the continent was determined upon by her parents. Arrangements were completed, when it was discovered the daughter was missing. The next morning Robinson, accompanied by Miss Froom, took a steamship at Queenstown for New York.

Until yesterday the Robinsons have lived very quietly in this city. He is the proprietor of the Homestead Club. His brother, George Robinson, is an actor. He was in Wallack's old stock company and about the Union Square Theater. Several years ago he was the leading support of Fanny Davenport, and is now leading man with Kate Claxton. Mrs. Robinson has been as reserved as Hale was open and frank. Occasionally men have pointed out a beautiful woman, with large black eyes and a complexion so soft and velvety as to attract attention, who sat alone in a box at the Casino.

"That's Mrs. Robinson," one would say. "You know Hale? No? Funny. Everybody else in New York does. Well, he has spent a fortune on his wife; sends her to Saratoga and Newport or anywhere else she wants to go. Does he go too? No. He's got a barrel of money, but Coney Island is good enough for him. He's one of the boys. No bigger-hearted man ever lived. I'll bet that 5,000 men owe him over $50 apiece."

All this domestic felicity was destroyed yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson are no longer one. He was away several days and returned suddenly, to find that she, too, had been away. An investigation caused him to make a still hunt for "Bob" Lowrey, the young son of Commodore Lowrey, and a youth of 22. It was Robinson's openly expressed threat to chase Lowrey out of the city or make him fight.

Friends interfered and he was persuaded to bide his time. At 2 o'clock an express wagon drove up to No. 44 West Twenty-eighth street, several trunks were bundled into it and it was driven away. "That's the last time I'll see her," said a habitue of the Homestead Club. "Hale set his foot down and she must go. He gave her a roll of money and told her to find a home elsewhere. Of course he'll see that she never wants for anything." There is talk of a duel.

Notice to Depositors.

A good location for depositors is the Chemical National Bank. The location, Sixth and Locust streets, is central and accessible, and the facilities and accommodations offered by the bank, to large and small depositors, for the rapid and satisfactory transaction of all banking business is unsurpassed.

LIABLE TO SALE.

Customs Regulation as to Unclaimed Goods—Washington Topics.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 26.—The Custom Surveyor at St. Louis, Mo., recently inquired of the Treasury Department whether certain wine received at that port on Sept. 11, 1890, under a warehouse and transportation entry from New Orleans and which remains unclaimed by the consignee, is liable to sale under the Treasury regulations. The department in reply has informed the Surveyor that under the provisions of art. 787, goods transported under bond, which from any cause are not duly and promptly entered for rewarehousing on arrival at the port of destination must be treated as unclaimed goods; and as the wine in question has remained unclaimed for more than one year from the date of importation it must be sold in the manner described by the Department's regulations.

The Census Bureau has issued a report on the production of seeds as an industry. The report shows that there were in the United States in the census year, 596 farms with a total of 169,851 acres devoted exclusively to seed growing, of which 96,567¼ acres were reported as producing seeds.

The President has appointed Jeremiah Coughlin of New York to be Secretary of the Legation and Consul General of the United States at Bologa and Chian Woo Tsang, a Chinese subject, to be interpreter to the Consulate of the United States at Hankow.

It comes from administration sources to-day that Mr. Gear of Iowa will not be given the Interstate Commerce Commissionership as the Iowa influences are divided between two candidates, and that Mr. John M. Butler of Indianapolis, who was formerly a law partner of ex-Senator McDonald, and has been spoken of as a candidate for the Judgeship of the Claims, will be made Interstate Commerce Commissioner.

Two Men Missing.

Henry C. Behrens has been missing from his home, 101 South Fourteenth street, since the 15th of September and his parents are anxiously inquiring for him. He is described as being 26 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches in height, weighs 160 pounds, smooth face, light complexion, blue eyes and wore a black Prince Albert coat, blue pants, black stiff hat, black satin shirt and light necktie when last seen.

Information is wanted of Edward Groff, who has been missing from his home, 3202 Chouteau avenue, since yesterday afternoon. He is described as being 35 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches in height, has black hair, large sandy mustache, and when last seen he wore jeans pants, a blue shirt and a black slouch hat.

Laying the Foundation for a Home.

This can only be accomplished by a determined effort to save. The Chemical National Bank invites the small depositors to open an account. Liberal interest allowed on time deposits. Sums of $1 and over received on deposit.

Damaged by Fire.

Dr. Gustave Baumgarten's residence at 2643 Chestnut street was badly damaged by fire this afternoon.

HER SISTER'S STORY

Mrs. Laura Peck Says Mrs. Heberer Was Driven to Suicide.

SHE WAS NOT INSANE, BUT JEALOUS OF A SERVANT.

Mr. Heberer Testifies That There Was No Cause for Jealousy and That He Believed His Wife Demented—Another Trusty Escapes From the Work-House—Boarding-House Robbed.

A startling statement, which coincides with the stories told by neighbors regarding the death of Mrs. Otto Heberer, was made by her sister, Mrs. Louisa Peck, in her sworn testimony before the Coroner at the inquest this morning. Mrs. Heberer was the wife of the butcher, Otto Heberer, at 2617 South Broadway, and took arsenic last Thursday morning after administering it to her three children. Mrs. Peck says she saw her sister, Mrs. Heberer, four months ago at her house and found her gloomy and despondent. She said she was no more than a scrub girl about the house and had to do what Lizzie Graaf, the hired girl, was employed to do and further that the servant ordered her about and compelled her to do what ever she told her. If she would make any reply or protest, Mrs. Heberer said, her husband would take the servant girl's part. This was more than she thought she could bear. Up to the time that Lizzie Graaf made her appearance at the house, Mrs. Heberer and her husband lived happily together and quarrels were few and far between. The girl was the cause of all the trouble and unhappiness and though she told her husband so and begged of him to dismiss her, he refused to do so. She could stand it no longer she said, and told her sister she intended to take her life and the lives of her children because she could not live happily with her husband, and would not leave her children with him for the Graaf girl to abuse after her death.

"I think," said Mrs. Peck, "that my sister took poison and gave poison to her children on account of the hired girl, Lizzie Graaf, and I do not think my sister was insane."

Mr. Heberer, the husband, told how he discovered his children had been poisoned and of finding his wife in the cellar. As regards the strained relations between himself and wife, he said he never knew her to be jealous of any one. He had lived happily with her during the ten years of married life and she always appeared to be in good spirits. He did not think she was jealous of Lizzie Graaf, and his wife had never told him she did not like her. He did not know why she took poison, but believed she did it while insane, as she often appeared demented since she was hurt in a fall two and a half years ago. For two days before taking the poison she complained of pains in the head and it brought on a state of dementia during which she took the poison.

A verdict of suicide by arsenical poisoning was rendered.

Another Trusty Escapes.

The regular semi-monthly escape of a prisoner from the Work-house occurred yesterday afternoon and the detectives are scouring the city for the fugitive. As usual, the fugitive was a "trusty" about the place and enjoyed the freedom of the entire grounds. He is Thomas Hogan, a character who was beginning to earn a crook's reputation with the police when he was caught stealing from Fred Murphy of 1408 North Broadway and Walter Lee of 3946 Lee avenue. In the Court of Criminal Correction last June he entered a plea of guilty to petit larceny, and was sentenced to six months at hard labor. His term would have been served next month, but he did not choose to wait any longer. The particulars of the escape were not telephoned to Chief Desmond, but it is supposed he boldly walked out the gate, as others have done, and took a car at the door which carried him up town. Hogan's escape is the fourth reported in the past two months, one every fifteen days, and in each case the prisoner was a crook of recognized ability and a trusty. The last two who escaped were Con Gallagher, who became tired of dodging the police and returned to the rock pile, and Harry Clifton, a noted crook, now in Chicago.

Four Burglars Rounded Up.

It has taken the detectives four months to run down four burglars who were implicated in the robbery of Mrs. Barbara Schatt's residence at 1230 Spruce street, but in accomplishing the arrest of the men Detectives Danaher and Schoppe have done some excellent secret service work. The burglary was a very peculiar one. Mrs. Schatt had not been in this country long and had moved into 1230 Spruce street, intending to remain there a few months. On the evening of June 15, she was awakened by finding a man trying to creep into bed. She screamed and he ran out of the room, but remained in the house. She dressed and hurried to her married daughter's home in another part of the city. The burglar, John Trench, saw his opportunity and summoning three companions, with a wagon, he loaded every moveable article into the wagon and drove off. Trench was arrested and made a "squeal," which gave the detectives a clue, and the arrest of another member of the quartette was accomplished. Believing Trench had given the robbery away and blamed it on him, the second man to get even, told the whole story and gave the addresses of his two companions in Chicago. Detective Danaher has made two trips to Chicago during the past month, and each time he has returned with a prisoner. The last one told what became of a gold-headed umbrella stolen at the time, and this morning William Turnbull, owner of the newstand at the Union Depot, gave the umbrella to the police, saying he bought it a few days after the robbery from a man at the depot who said he was short and needed money to get out of town. All the other property stolen at the time has been recovered.

More Counterfeit Money.

The Sub-Treasury officials are somewhat perplexed by the appearance of an unusual amount of counterfeit money at the office. A counterfeit $2 dollar bill was presented to-day, being the tenth counterfeit bill presented during the week, one of them being a $50-bill. The one presented to-day was what is known as the Jordan signature. It is said to be a hard bill to detect. The man who presented it said he got it from the cashier of a well-known business house. No arrests have been made as the appearance of the persons presenting the bad money, and the statements made gave no indication that they were aware that the money was bad.

Long on John O'Briens.

Chief Harrigan wrote to Chief McClaughry of Chicago early this week and inquired of him if he had during the past month sent a man named John Hogan, alias John O'Brien, to the Work-house in that city. A reply was received this morning in which Maj. McClaughry states he has not sent anyone named John Hogan to the rock pile but during the past thirty days twelve men named John O'Brien have been sent there. The man wanted may be in the bunch, he adds, but as no description was given he could not tell which of the twelve might be the man the St. Louis police were after. The Chicago police, Secretary Lucas remarked, were evidently "long" on O'Briens.

Burglar in a Boarding-House.

The boarding-house of W. J. Newman at 1637 Washington avenue was entered by a burglar last night, presumably shortly after midnight, and the rooms of most of the boarders ransacked. Mr. S. P. Cobb, city buyer for Hargadine & McKittrick, lost $8 and Messrs. J. A. Harrington, E. W. Blackmore and J. A. Ewing lost a few dollars each, the total amount secured by the thief being $35. One of the boarders had $250 in his room, but he had taken the precaution to bolt his door on the inside and Mr. Burglar's skeleton key was n. g. there. The thief went through the house without waking anyone up.

Lead Pipe Thief Caught.

Officer Corcoran saw a negro running through a lot in the rear of 2314 Chestnut street early this morning and, suspecting something wrong, he gave chase and captured the negro at Twenty-first and Chestnut streets. Returning to the house, Corcoran found the lead pipe had been cut out and placed in a pile near the door, ready to be carried away, when the prisoner, whose name is Abe Cole, and his partner, Parker Diffee, heard the officer approaching and ran away. Diffee escaped. A warrant will be sworn out against Cole.

Missing People.

Mrs. Zella Thabaum of 4241 North Twentieth street has been missing from her home several days. She is 50 years of age and weighed about 140 pounds. She was bareheaded and barefooted when she left the house and was also slightly demented.

Andrew Cook of Danvers, Ill., wants information which will give him an idea of the whereabouts of his son, George W. Cook, 16 years of age, who ran away from home last Monday and has not been seen since. His father desires his arrest.

THE law and collection offices of Joseph Lathrop & Co., on or about Oct. 1 will occupy their new offices in the St. Louis Trust Co. Building, northwest corner Fourth and Locust streets.

JUMPING HORSES.

The Most Famous of Them Will Be at the St. Louis Fair.

The jumping horses that formed so large a part of the National Horse Show Association Exhibition in Madison Square Garden, New York, last November, will be at the St. Louis Fair after the opening day. This collection of horses is the largest ever shown in this field and includes the champion jumper of the world, Roseberry. There are sixteen horses in the aggregation. They will be shown in the arena of the amphitheater every afternoon, beginning at 4 o'clock from Tuesday to Saturday, Oct. 6 to 10 inclusive. The method of the exhibition will be the racing of the horses in batches of four over flights of hurdles four feet high, and in batches of three horses over flights of hurdles five feet high. Each day these contests will end with jumping by the champion Roseberry and by "Maude." The latter is a 14:2 pony, but succeeded in clearing seven feet at New York last winter. "Roseberry" on July 26 cleared seven feet one inch at exercise. They will try while here to beat the world's record of seven feet two and one-half inches. The *Spirit of the Times* in a critical notice of the exhibition of the New York show placed the limit for practical work in the hunting field at six feet, and when it came to the consideration of the higher flights of the pony and the champion pronounced it wonderful work. "Roseberry" had suffered an accident before that meet, but it left no marks, and the horse was in a short time able to jump as well as formerly. "Maude" is a little wonder, and other members of the company are as worthy of regard, for their feats are only less than those of the stars by fractions of inches. Much interest has been manifested by horsemen in this special attraction.

Agricultural implement men are making a great deal of preparation for the Fair. The field has been extended and the facilities for exhibition improved. Yesterday the agents of two large Eastern concerns arrived to secure space and arrange their exhibits. There is now no doubt that the show in every department will be far better than it has ever been. And as for articles the ladies delight in making and seeing, no Fair ever contained so many as will be gathered in the halls on Monday, Oct. 5.

VINCENT FOLLOWS BRIGGS.

He Delivers an Eloquent Address on the Same Lines.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The little chapel of Union Theological Seminary, usually sacred to quiet devotion, rang with applause yesterday while the Rev. Dr. Marvin R. Vincent delivered to the students and friends of the institution the annual address opening the scholastic year. In the same place, seven months ago, Dr. Chas. A. Briggs lead the famous inaugural which has since promised to disrupt the Presbyterian Church. In every way, as vigorous in tone and as advanced in thought, Dr. Vincent's address was almost equally remarkable and may be followed by results as important. President Hastings and other leaders of the seminary smilingly admitted that what Dr. Vincent had said was exactly in the line of Dr. Briggs' effort, and if the one was heretical the other was not orthodox, but this did not seem to worry them. Most of those who crowded the chapel were the supporters of Union, but five or six gentlemen were there who are noted opponents of Dr. Briggs. Among them was a layman from Indiana, who at the Detroit general assembly was a foremost anti-Briggs lobbyist. The friends of Dr. Briggs said these gentlemen attended yesterday for the purpose of "getting ammunition," from which it appears likely that there is trouble ahead for Dr. Vincent.

MRS. LOMASNEY'S 16-year-old son Eddie is dangerously ill with typhoid fever.

TRIFLING WITH HEALTH.

Most people consider ailments like hoarseness, cough, sore throat, etc., not worth their while to look after, and they ought to pass away without any further notice being taken of them. The neglect is very often the cause of severe and protracted sickness, which undermines the constitution of the patient and his general happiness. Use the Soden Mineral Pastilles in time; they will effectually eradicate all the above diseases.

The "genuine" must have the signature of "Eisner & Mendelson Co.," Sole Agents, New York, around each box.

Vanderbilt's

Check is no stronger in Wall street, than the word of Mr. H. G. Saunders, a prominent carpenter and builder of Auburn, N. Y., is among his fellow citizens. He says, under date of Aug. 4, 1891:

"I Pin My Faith

to Hood's Sarsaparilla. Whenever I see any one 'broken up,' or 'run down,' I say 'You just take a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla and it will bring you out all right.' In heavy work I sometimes get tired out and stiffened, but a day or two of Hood's Sarsaparilla makes me feel well. I have been subject to severe attacks of **Rheumatism** in my arms and chest. A very few doses of

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cured me of the last one, when suffering intensely. I urge all who suffer similarly to give Hood's Sarsaparilla a fair trial." H. G. SAUNDERS.

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MARRIAGES.

EMERSON—LOGAN—In St. Louis, Sept. 24, at the residence of the bride's parents, Dr. J. C. Cummings and wife, Mr. O. F. EMERSON (Professor of English Composition, etc., Cornell University) and Miss ANNIE L. LOGAN, by Rev. J. B. Parmelee.

DEATHS.

BENSON—On Sept. 25 at 5:20 p. m., our darling SADIE, only and beloved daughter of Patrick and Ellen Benson, aged 11 years 10 days.

Funeral will take place Sunday at 2 p. m. from family residence, 3721 Evans avenue, to Rock Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. No flowers.

CONNOR—Friday, Sept. 25, at 11 a. m., Mrs. ANNIE E., beloved wife of M. J. Connor, nee Bergen, aged 35 years.

Funeral from family residence, 1212 Elliott avenue, Sunday, Sept. 27, at 2 p. m., to St. Bridget's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attends.

NOONAN—Friday, Sept. 25, at 8 a. m., DENNIS NOONAN, age 54 years.

Funeral from the family residence, 2210 O'Fallon street, Sunday. Sept. 27. at 2 p. m., to St. Bridget's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

Marshall (Ill.) papers please copy.

NIGHTS AND MORNINGS

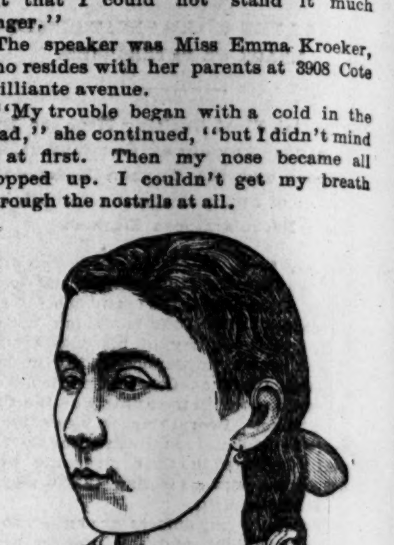
Were the Worst in the Case of Miss Emma Kroeker.

The Trouble Extending, Had Resulted in Chest Pains, Cough, Night Sweats and Heart Palpitation.

"For three years I have suffered with catarrh, but recently it grew so serious I felt that I could not stand it much longer."

The speaker was Miss Emma Kroeker, who resides with her parents at 3908 Cote Brilliante avenue.

"My trouble began with a cold in the head," she continued, "but I didn't mind it at first. Then my nose became all stopped up. I couldn't get my breath through the nostrils at all.



Miss Emma Kroeker, 3908 Cote Brilliante Avenue.

"The discharges from the nose were all backward and downward into the upper and back part of the throat. There the sticky mucus would accumulate and keep me hawking and spitting to prevent strangling. My throat became very bad.

"My eyes were inflamed and sore, and often in the morning the lids would be stuck together with a mattery discharge. Gradually a wasting cough set in, with sharp pains in the chest and shoulderblades, and palpitation of the heart. Then

NIGHT SWEATS CAME ON

and I lost flesh rapidly. At the same time my stomach gave out. I had no appetite. The sight of food sickened me, and everything I ate would sour on my stomach. I had such headaches I thought my temples would crack or my head burst.

"Nights and mornings were the worst. There was no sleep—nothing but long spasms of hawking and coughing, tossing on my pillow and getting up for breath—until 3 or 4 o'clock in the morning. I was weak, tired and languid all the time. My strength seemed gone forever.

"I think it is not surprising, when so long in this distressing condition and having tried without any benefit so many remedies and physicians, that I almost despaired of ever being cured.

"Then I went to Drs. Copeland and Thompson, and I shall always be thankful I did, for in the place of weakness they gave me strength, for my languor and constant weariness they gave me vigor and energy.

"My pains are a thing of the past. I eat heartily of everything now, and digest and derive strength from my food. In short, my symptoms are gone, and I am a changed person."

"WELL AND HAPPY."

Mrs. Lou C. Inman Makes a Short but Emphatic Statement.

"Well and happy—Is not this a good deal to say when only a few weeks ago I was thought to be a hopeless invalid? Five years ago I became afflicted with catarrh; polypi grew in my head until I could not breathe through my nose at all.

"I cannot command words to describe my suffering. It was as if I had a bad cold all the time. Dull, heavy pains through my nose and ears. A constant itching and buzzing in my ears almost made me frantic. My hearing was seriously impaired. I had a terrible racking cough that at times would almost tear me to pieces. I firmly believed

I HAD CONSUMPTION.

"I had no appetite—lost in flesh and strength until I was a mere shadow of myself. I was weak, tired and miserable all the time—all ambition was gone.

"Doctors and patent medicines proved useless. I was completely discouraged and ready to give up, when, after hearing so much of Drs. Copeland and Thompson, I went to them—not with any hope of being cured, for I was past that, but thinking, for the sake of my little children, I would make one more effort.

"I am too much surprised to explain the result, for from a hopeless invalid they have transformed me into a perfectly well woman. Drs. Copeland and Thompson have saved my life; that's what they have done. To any one suffering I cannot recommend them too highly. They are skillful physicians and perfect gentlemen.

"I wish to add that the above statement is unsolicited and entirely voluntary on my part. I give it out of pure gratitude to Drs. Copeland and Thompson and with the hope that it may aid some poor sufferer in finding relief."

[Signature.]

Lou C Inman
2847 A, Benton St.

FROM REPRESENTATIVE MEN.

For the past three years I have suffered from a catarrhal trouble which the best doctors and a trip to the Springs failed utterly to relieve. Under treatment with Drs. Copeland and Thompson I improved rapidly, not only as to my catarrhal trouble, but also in general health. As courteous gentlemen and skillful physicians I can heartily recommend them.

[Signature]

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ST. LOUIS, MO., Aug. 24, 1891.

DRS. COPELAND AND THOMPSON:

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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL, Thirteenth a[nd] Locust, opposite Exposition building, service in Chapel—entrance Locust street—Sunday services Sept. 27, 1891: 8 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., Sunday-school and Bible classes; ... a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.

ETHICAL SPIRITUAL LECTURES—At New H[all], corner Garrison av. and Olive st., to-morrow 10:30 o'clock, by Prof. W. F. Peck. Subject: "M... Path from Methodism to Spiritualism." He wi[ll] also render some fine music. Mrs. Conant will al[so] give psychometric reading. Evening lecture by Mr[s.] Conant; subject: "Hannah Jane, or Woman's Pla[ce] in Marriage." Also psychometric reading.

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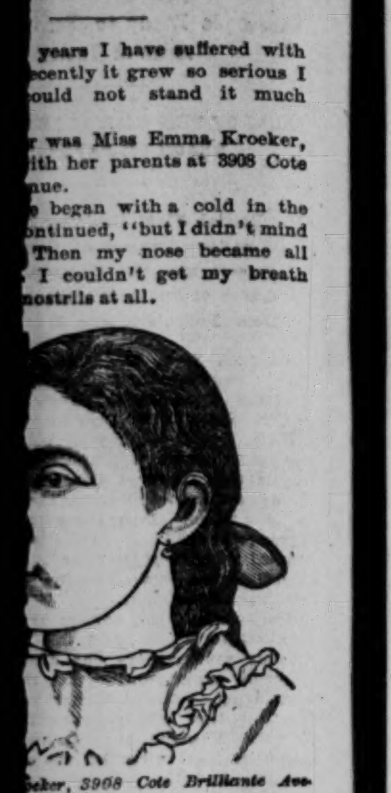

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1,000 FINE walnut 8-day strike and alarm clocks, $1.50 to $3; fine Ansonia mantel clocks, $5 to $13; at Dunn's Loan Office. 74

$1 A WEEK

Buys $50 worth of Furniture at Boylan & Co.'s, 1117 Olive st., lowest price house in the city for furniture, carpets, stoves and all house furnishing goods; your own terms. 74

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Gold Fillings $2, Plastic Fillings $1, Extract ing 50c., gas free, Gold and Porcelain Crowns. All Dental operations at moderate prices. Office established 20 years.

WANTED—AGENTS.

WANTED—Agents, either sex, can make $10 a day. Apply Saturday afternoon 23 S. 16th st. 73

BOARD AND LODGING WANTED.

WANTED—By a useful girl attending business college, a home where services will pay for board. Address G 8, this office. 20

WANTED—By a young man board and room in private family, within twenty blocks of Custom House. Address W 89, this office. 20

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED—One unfurnished room for two gents. Address A 11, this office. 21

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

WANTED—A 6 or 8-room dwelling; bath; near 4th st. cable, west of Lafayette Park; owner reply to-night if possible. Address T 10, this office.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE.

WILL TRADE HOUSES

For West End lots to the amount of $4,500; three magnificent 7-room, reception hall, hard-wood finished houses, grouted cellars, baths, electric lights, etc., etc., etc., in the West End; a great chance; make proposition.
R. C. GREER REAL ESTATE CO.,
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MONEY WANTED.

WANTED—$4,000 at 6 per cent on improved real estate worth double the amount. Address C 9, this office. 25

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

WANTED—Second-hand bicycles in exchange for new; easy payments. A. L. Jordan, 1324 Washington av. 26

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Heavy gold ring, with initials inside. Good reward if returned to 4210 N. Grand av. 30

LOST—Maltese cat Thursday night; white spot on the neck and bell on. Reward if returned to 18 N. 4th st. 30

LOST—At the Exposition Friday evening, a watch charm with small ruby; engraved, "Rose to Sol." Return to 1014 Washington av. and receive reward.

LOST—Tuesday evening, Sept. 22, Havlin's Theater hall, one bar pin containing 5 diamonds. Liberal reward if returned to B. J., care F. Smith & Son, 522 N. 2d st. 30

LOST—Wednesday, blue cloth vest containing memorandum book and pair glasses, fell off wagon in business part of city. Liberal reward for return to Pat Reilly, care Ford & Doan, 210 N. 2d st.

LOST—At Meremac Park on Sunday last, Gordon setter bitch in milk, with hair on back and sides closely clipped showing mange. Reward for return to 5905 Page av., or for information leading to recovery. 30

LOST—Tuesday, about 10 a. m., within four blocks of 15th and Franklin av., large size hunting-case lady's gold watch, with gold fob chain, pin and ball pendant attached; initials "J. P. B." inscribed on back of watch. Liberal reward for return to 1031 Selby pl. 30

STRAYED—Or stolen—On Monday, Sept. 21, a small pug dog, female; I will pay $10 reward for the arrest and conviction of the party, or a small reward for the return of same. J. E. Esher, 712 St. Charles st. 30

STRAYED—Two cows, one roan muley and one long horned, with white and red spots, from Carter's dairy, near O'Fallon Park. Liberal reward for return to 622 Athlone av., opposite middle gate of O'Fallon Park. 30

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GRAHAME SELECT SCHOOL, 1524 Olive; lessons at all hours for ball room or stage. Call. 76

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A private watchman's route in the West End; good salary guaranteed. Address H 8, this office. 4

FOR SALE—Manufacturing plant located in this city; established 18 years, and now doing an excellent business; this outfit can be bought for $3,000; is well worth $5,000; the only reason for selling, present owner wishes to retire from wholesale business; this is a bargain.
4 WARDLOW & ESLINGER, 117 N. 8th st.

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Get your Sunday Wants in before 10 o'clock to assure proper classification.

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

10 AND 12 N. 4TH ST.—Hotel Belmont—Nice rooms, 35c a night, $2 a week and up. 13

11 N. 6TH ST.—Ivy House, refitted throughout; room, 25c a night, $1 a week and up. 13

105 S. 15TH ST.—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; transients accommodated. 13

817 FRANKLIN AV.—Nicely furnished rooms; cheap. 13

921 N. 13TH ST.—A large fur. front room, 1st floor. 13

1013 WASHINGTON AV.—Nicely furnished rooms by week or day at reasonable rates.

1016 N. 16TH ST.—A young gentleman can find good board and room in a private family. 18

1109 WASHINGTON AV.—Furnished front rooms, $1.75 and $3 per week; southern exposure; bath. 13

1146 S. 7TH ST.—Fur. rooms with or without board. 13

1314 N. 20TH ST.—Four large rooms, first floor; $15. 13

1409 OLIVE ST.—Neatly furnished rooms. 13

1720 OLIVE ST.—Large front room neatly furnished and small room; new building. 13

1727 2D CARONDELET AV.—Two neatly furnished rooms, with or without board; two gentlemen preferred; convenient to cars. 13

2015 CHESTNUT ST.—Nicely furnished rooms in strictly private family. 13

2225 CHESTNUT ST.—Handsomely furnished room. 13

2233 WASHINGTON AV.—Furnished rooms, without board; private family; for gents. 13

2234 WASHINGTON AV.—Furnished rooms; private family; refs. 13

2328 PINE ST.—Large, pleasant rooms, single or in suit; can accommodate strangers. 13

2333 PINE ST.—Handsomely furnished rooms with every convenience, with or without board. 13

2624 CHESTNUT ST—1 large front room; nicely fur.; cheap for the winter; private family. 13

2634 OLIVE ST.—Neatly furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 13

2644 OLIVE ST.—Nicely furnished second story front room; bath, gas, all conveniences; reasonable terms. 13

2710 LOCUST ST.—Elegantly furnished rooms, with or without board; references. 13

2711 DAYTON ST.—Nicely furnished rooms for either permanent or transient; one block to Northern Central car. 13

2712 WALNUT ST.—Suit nicely furnished rooms, with or without board; party owning their house. 13

2842 MARKET ST.—Furnished rooms. 13

3011 OLIVE ST.—Nicely furnished rooms, with bath. 13

3031 OLIVE ST.—Two connecting rooms furnished; n. and s. exposure. 13

3125 THOMAS ST.—Five nice rooms; $20 per month. 13

3337 CHESTNUT ST.—Large 2d-story front; also smaller front; nicely fur.; pri. fam.; ref. ex; 13

FOR RENT—A widow lady will rent nicely fur. room to quiet parties. Add. B 10, this office. 13

WANTED—A room-mate; ref. required. Apply G 11, this office. 13

FOR RENT—Strangers will find a free furnished room directory, with price and location, at 1921 Olive st.; lots of rooms for those anxious to live uptown. 13

WANTED—Artist wishes employment; can do brush work, pen and ink, can paint in oil or water. Address E 11, this office. 13

THE ERICSSON | No. 2608 Locust st. Elegant Apartments

Furnished or unfurnished for gentlemen only; fine offices on ground floor for doctors or dentists.
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1016 N. 18TH ST.—Nicely furnished room, suitable for two gents. conv. to 2 lines cars. 18

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1834 LUCAS PL.—Nicely fur. rooms, with board. 18

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2939 OLIVE ST.—Only 1 more furnished front room and board for 2 or 4 gents or for transients; best accommodations. 18

3142 LOCUST ST.—Handsomely furnished 2d-story front rooms, en suite if desired, with first-class board and accommodations; refs. exch. 18

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2105 CARR ST.—6-room house, suitable for 1 or 2 families, in good condition. Apply on premises. 14

3002 CLARK AV.—Nine rooms, hall, bath and gas; large front, side and rear yards.
14 KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

3408 LINDELL AV.—Fine 3-story stone-front; with large store on first floor and fine flats above; suitable for 1 or 2 families
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No. 3311-13 Laclede av., two modern 6-room dwellings, just completed; keys next door east; rent only $35 per month. Apply to
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1725 S. 11TH ST.—Small store and rooms above; cheap rent. 17

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That large four-story building on the southeast corner Main and Washington avenue, also fronting on Commercial street forty feet.

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FOR SALE—Lot 100x116 feet on the east side of Sophia av., near Fair Grounds and Natural Bridge road, and joins house No. 3812 Sophia av.
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A block of ground fronting 375 feet on Washington avenue, 375 feet on Lucas avenue, and bounded by Twentieth and Twenty-first streets. This is the only solid block of ground to be had on Washington avenue.

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FOR SALE—On Page av., between Newstead and Taylor, a new ten-room brick house; modern in all appointments; perfect in arrangement and cheap at $6,200; will sell at one-fifth cash, balance monthly. Address M 9, this office. 7

FOR SALE—Houses Nos. 1029, 1031 and 1033 N. Leffingwell av.—Three nice 2-story stone-front houses of 7 rooms each, hall, bath and gas; lot 52½x125 feet to alley. Will sell these at a bargain to close an estate. KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut.

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FOR SALE—Monthly Payments—4316 New Manchester rd., between Park and Mount Vernon avs., new one and a half story brick cottage of five rooms; lot 25x125 feet to alley. Terms $300 cash, balance $20 per month.
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7 KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

FOR SALE—Monthly payments—House and lot No. 1219 Victor st. Brand new 2-story pressed brick front house of seven rooms; hall, gas, bath, finished cemented laundry. Lot 28 ft. 5 in by 68 ft. deep. Terms $500 cash, balance $30 per month. Apply to German Neukum, builder, 2113 Oregon av. or KEELEY & CO.,
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WESTMINSTER PL.—East of Vandeventer av., modern 11-room home; a bargain.
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YOU can buy a charming new, very modern 10 or a 7-room brick house on Labadie, west of Marcus av.; positively every late convenience and modern feature, even to electric lights; lots 45x145 each. Both go at a bargain. GREER, 902 Chestnut st.

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$5,000 Down to $4,500.

Bargain to close this week; modern new 8-room brick house, h. and c. water, bath, w.c. and e.lights, etc., lot 33 ft., on Marcus av.; terms to suit.
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An elegant new 9-room house, handsomely finished and modern in every respect.
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LINDELL AV. Elegant 13-room house, every convenience; lot 50x213; new, modern.

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WASHINGTON AV. 4222—Modern 8-room brick; lot 50x244.

DELMAR AV. 3945—Beautiful interior, as also exterior; 12 rooms; lot 50x149.

DELMAR AV. 4324—Modern; nine rooms; lot 34.4x142.6

MORGAN ST. 4346—New 10-room, pressed brick front; bath, hot and cold water; lot 32x150.

WEST BELLE PLACE—Four delightful flats; 6 rooms each; bath, hot and cold water; lot 50x150.

COOK AV. 3962—2-story seven-room house; lot 40x142.6

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CABANNE PL., near Cabanne pl.—An elegant 13-room house, city water, unsurpassed sewer, every convenience; lot 100x217; near electric cars.

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Elegant property located on rapid transit line; short time required reaching the city; location unsurpassed; see me about this; money in it.

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Westminster pl., 243x182.6, s. e. corner Walton av. Will trade for other property.
Washington av., 100x150 ft., west Pendleton; above grade, street made.
Washington av., 338x175, east Euclid av.; high ground.
Cook and Pendleton avs., s. w. corner; 451x143.
Page av., 50x145, west Newstead av.
Cabanne pl., 200x208, bet. Goodfellow and Hamilton avs.; streets made and sidewalks.
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Phone 885. 8

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802 Clarkson pl., new 8-room stone front, hardwood finish; lot 30x120; $1,000 cash, balance monthly.
Six houses, s. e. cor. 28th and Stoddard sts., well rented; will exchange for business or vacant property.
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132x150, n. w. cor. McPherson av. and Whittier.
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300x155, s. s. Olive, between Boyle and Newstead.
400x130, Page av., between Marcus and Walton.
500x130, Walton, corner Vernon.
120x155, Morgan, between Grand and Cabanne.
70x120, Clarkson pl. and Morgan st.
100x120, Vandeventer av., between Morgan and Delmar
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AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

EXPOSITION—Open daily, 10:30 a. m. to 10:30 p. m.
GRAND OPERA-HOUSE—"Little Puck."
OLYMPIC—Fanny Davenport.
POPE'S—"Fantasma."
HAVLIN'S—"The Fast Mail."
STANDARD—Sam T. Jack's Creole Burlesque Co.

Weather forecast for twenty-four hours, beginning at 8 a. m. to-day, for Missouri: Fair; slight changes in temperature; south winds.

Weather forecast for twenty-four hours, beginning at 8 a. m. to-day, for St. Louis: Fair; nearly stationary temperature; variable winds.

DEMOCRACY lost one of its best friends when Rev. Mr. BURCHARD passed away.

THE only proper outcome of the situation in the School Board is honest investigation.

THE joke of the Ohio campaign is the McKinley tin-plate badge made of wrought iron and lead.

MINISTER EGAN could not get his official reports to the State Department through the cable because the wire was occupied by the dispatches of War Correspondent EGAN.

PRESIDENT HARRISON will be sincerely sorry to hear of Rev. Mr. BURCHARD'S death. Another obstacle to Mr. BLAINE'S acceptance of the nomination in 1892 is removed.

DOUBTLESS the President's generous treatment of RAUM, whose son's antics are disgracing the Pension Bureau, is caused by that "fellow feeling which makes one wondrous kind."

JONES—Who pays the Freight—threatens to play the part of SAMSON and pull down Gov. HILL'S carefully constructed plans, even if it ruins his own political future. It remains to be seen whether a long mustache will serve the same purpose as long hair.

THE demand of Mr. PORTER for more money with which to complete the census will probably be refused by the Democratic Congress. But there would not be the same objection to appropriating an ample amount to retake the census under a competent chief.

COMMISSIONER RAUM will, it is said, retire just before Congress meets in order to avoid the investigation threatened. The investigation will be had, however, whether he is in or out of office, and bigger fish than RAUM will probably be caught in the net.

THE revenue of the German Imperial Government from import duties on food amounts to $20,000,000 a year, but the cost to the German people in enhanced prices amounts to $65,000,000. This is very simple, but according to McKinley logic all this cost should be borne by the American and Russian farmers who send their grain to the fatherland.

MAJ. MCKINLEY cannot evade the issue when he engages in joint debate with Gov. CAMPBELL. He will have to explain and reconcile his numerous conflicting references to cheapness, dearness, nastiness and, in fact, to all other features of his tariff arguments. He is the author of the worst tariff bill ever framed, but it is doubtful if he deserves the skinning he will get.

IT ought not to take much thought on the part of intelligent farmers to discover that reciprocity may be a good thing for the American manufacturers who have more good things from the Government now than they are entitled to, but it will not increase the price of grain or lower the price of the tariff-burdened articles of manufacture that the farmers have to buy. It is merely a political trick devised in the interest of the plutocrats.

EIGHT years ago a tramp named GRAY was arrested and convicted of the murder of a man whose body was found in a box car near Salem, Ill. GRAY had spent the night in the car and his clothing was stained with blood. He was sentenced to the penitentiary for life. Yesterday the telegraph brought the news that JACOB BROWN had confessed to the Chief of Police of Minneapolis that he murdered the man for whose death GRAY is in prison. GRAY, it appears, had gone into the car to sleep, not knowing the dead body was there and when he discovered it fear impelled him to flee. Fiction does not furnish a more marvelous story of the righting of a great wrong than is contained in this piece of news. It shows how wonderfully the lives and fortunes of men are twisted in the web of circumstances.

M'KINLEY'S CAMPAIGN "FAKE."

The WORLD of Thursday last contains a complete exposure of the tin-plate fraud practised at Piqua, O., for the benefit of the Republican campaign in Ohio. As Maj. MCKINLEY was the expected beneficiary of the fraud and became its principal victim, that eminent champion of protection is placed in as ridiculous and humiliating a position as his bitterest enemy could desire.

The scheme was originated and executed by President HICKS of the Cincinnati Corrugating Co., who thought it would afford a brilliant climax to the celebration in honor of MCKINLEY at Piqua to have the eminent statesman preside at the manufacture of some tin-plate in the company's works there, and to have struck off in commemoration of this triumph of protection campaign badges made of the tin plates, which should be the sign and seal of the glorious fruits of the McKinley tariff. The programme was carried out. MCKINLEY saw the plates dipped in the molten metal, and under the inspiration of the moment burst into an eloquent eulogy of that policy which has relegated Providence to a back seat and enabled Americans to become rich off of each other. The badges containing the soul-stirring line, "Made of Ohio steel and California tin, Piqua, 1891. MCKINLEY and Protection," were made and distributed to arouse the enthusiasm of the admiring masses.

Now it appears that the tin-plate, over the manufacture of which MCKINLEY grew eloquent, was an egregious fraud. President HICKS borrowed the lead with which to coat it from a Democratic neighbor. He confesses that the plate is not tin-plate at all, but only a poor quality of terne-plate covered with lead mixed with a little tin and run through the rollers to give it a Welsh polish. Maj. MCKINLEY eulogized a bare-faced trick as the fruit of protection, and has been made the butt for scornful laughter in the house of his friends.

The tin-plate protection fraud must be added to the reciprocity dodge in the museum of political "fakes."

BLACKMAILING GOVERNMENT CLERKS.

The following letter, signed by the Chairman and Secretary of the Ohio Republican Committee, has found its way to the public. It is dated Sept. 3, 1891:

DEAR SIR—The Republican Executive Committee of Ohio is now fully organized and actively at work. Funds are required for this work. The campaign in Ohio is now more than a State campaign. It is national in both its importance and effect. The election of Hon. WILLIAM MCKINLEY, Jr., and his associates on the ticket, and a Republican General Assembly this fall in Ohio, and a Republican United States Senator from this State assures Republican success in the campaign of 1892. You are the incumbent of place made possible by the success of the party in the past. The continued success of the Republican party is of great interest and advantage to the whole country, and you no doubt appreciate it. A liberal contribution from you as an individual will largely aid the committee in the furtherance of its work. In the ordinary business affairs of life promptness of payment is absolutely required. Such promptness in our business is equally important. We will be pleased to hear from you at once.

This is a most barefaced violation of the spirit of the Pendleton law of 1883, which prohibits all solicitation of campaign funds from Government employes while on duty or within the precincts of the Government departments. The wording of the letter, however, is such that the signers—who are really only campaign agents of Secretary FOSTER—can evade prosecution through a technical plea.

It is none the less a violation of the law, however, for there is no doubt that the people are unalterably opposed to this kind of petty plundering, and that the law of 1883 was expected by them to cover just such cases as this. The purpose of the law was to protect the earnings of Government employes from politicians' raids and to purify the civil service of partisan taint. The purpose of this letter is to intimidate and blackmail helpless men, to divert the Government service to partisan uses and make every servant of the people a particeps criminis in a disgraceful outrage.

Civil service reform is one of the issues of the campaign. The Republican bosses, under the lead of the Secretary of the Treasury, have openly set aside the law and have revived the active popular discussion of a subject which has for some time been left to the tea custard statesmen.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

Multiplying the Barnacles.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

"Taxpayer" undoubtedly voices the sentiments of a large number of citizens when he assails the bill proposing to create the office of Inspector of Garbage. It is certainly high time that there was a stop put to this indiscriminate use of public funds, and instead of casting about for material to make new places our city fathers should seek for means to abolish some of the old ones. There are a number of city ordinances that might be stricken from the statutes without affecting anybody but a few barnacles that wish to live without working. We could do very well without a Milk Inspector and an Inspector of Weights and Measures, likewise the office of Boiler Inspector and Inspector of Elevators. If the POST-DISPATCH could see its way clear to investigate these evils, I think the city Government would be managed on strictly business principles. E. AUGUSTINE.

"PETTICOAT PULLS."

"Suspect" Influence in the School Board to Be Exposed.

THE FULL STORY OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SCANDAL AWAITING NARRATION.

Details of Cases of Flagrant Immorality Among Directors and Lady "Suspects" Will Be Given—Charges Against the Board Thoroughly Supported—The Unmasking of the Evil.

In its exposure of the public school scandal the POST-DISPATCH is now nearing the critical moment that always arrives in the inevitable sequence of a systematic attack upon an established evil.

That moment is strikingly similar to the dramatic one in the progress of a surgical operation, when the surgeon, knife in hand, arrives at the point where it is necessary to lay bare the diseased spot upon which he is to operate in order to restore health to the rest of the body.

The fact of the existence of the disease having been established, and the necessity for heroic treatment in its removal recognized, there remains but one thing to be done.

The cancer must be uncovered to the light of day, the knife must be used, the work of cutting away the one poison-breeding spot must be carried to its only merciful conclusion.

Otherwise the surgeon's discovery of the disease has been in vain, his diagnosis a farce, his skill useless, his duty to humanity not performed, his proclamation of the existence of the cancer a needless cruelty.

The POST-DISPATCH has exposed a scandal which is corrupting the School Board in that especial feature of its system which should be freest from all possible material for scandal. The investigation and exposure were brought about by a startling suggestion, emanating from the two highest officials of the School Board, that lady teachers of the public schools should, on occasion, be spied upon by paid detectives for evidences and proofs of immorality.

The real scandal developing from that astonishing proposition was that there are flagrant cases of charged immorality among certain lady teachers and certain school directors, which have never been investigated, and which the board evidently intends never shall be investigated.

THE REAL SCANDAL.

The real scandal in the public schools is the existence of a "petticoat pull" based on the impure influence of those facts of immorality, which enable the lady teachers possessing those "pulls" to control promotion, advancement and preference with invariable certainty.

Under the blight of this "petticoat pull" the 1,500 good women who compose the great body of the public school corps of lady teachers are helpless and handicapped in their chosen career. They find that with the School Board, which holds within its grasp all the possibilities of their advancement in life, promotion, like kissing, goes by favor. And they find, unfortunately, that favor, the favor of a School Director, is a thing so costly to a woman as to be almost beyond estimate.

Between these two alternatives, of relinquishing all ambition in their life work, or of paying the School Board price of a "petticoat pull," halt the lady teachers of the St. Louis public schools. One of them, writing to the POST-DISPATCH yesterday, said:

You are right about the potency of a "pull." Better one energetic friend among directors than four superintendents. Have you such a friend your capital is forthcoming, for no principal will offend by failing to properly label a teacher who has a "pull." Then Mr. Long must sustain the principal's marking.

The truth and significance of this lady teacher's statement is particularly well known to certain School Board directors. The fact of the value of their influence to the young lady teachers of the public schools is one of the most cherished perquisites of a position in the board. And evidence in the case goes to show that certain directors work that perquisite for all it is worth.

The lady teacher quoted above also writes: "I rejoice you are so near the truth." The POST-DISPATCH is not only near the truth, it is in possession of it.

It is upon the whole truth, gained by swift and persistent investigation, that the POST-DISPATCH bases its charge that a great scandal now exists, unrebuked and uninvestigated, in the School Board. And the time is near at hand when the whole truth will be told by the POST-DISPATCH and the public school scandal be left in the hands of the people of St. Louis for its final disposition.

The School Board sensation received its initial attention in the last SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH. It has been followed up by daily investigation and exposure since that time. It will be closed in to-morrow's SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH by a statement of the facts upon which all the POST-DISPATCH charges have been based.

The POST-DISPATCH has charged that open scandals, involving certain school directors and certain lady teachers, exist unrebuked in the board, and are so freely discussed as to have become "matters of tradition."

It has charged that infamous "petticoat pulls," based upon those scandalous relations, exist in the board, and secure promotion for their female possessors at the expense of better women.

It has charged that President Miller of the School Board acknowledged the necessity of secret espionage of lady teacher "suspects" on occasion to the extent of having put the secret service system into execution.

It has charged that Supt. Long, despite his advocacy of spying upon lady teachers on occasion, has suppressed sworn evidence against one lady teacher who was accused of immorality.

These are the charges which the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH proposes to prove. It will prove them in the face of the indignant denials of school directors that any whisper of scandal has ever been heard in the board, or that such a thing as a "petticoat pull" ever had an existence. It will prove them, despite President Miller's attempt to deny the facts which he first furnished to the POST-DISPATCH, bearing on the employment of the detective system in the case of lady "suspects." It will prove them, notwithstanding the resolute closing of Supt. Long's mouth after he had irretrievably put his foot into it.

And having proved them, the POST-DISPATCH will have ended its exposure of the public school scandal, and the issue will then be with the people.

KNOWS OF THE "PULLS."

The following letter was received by the POST-DISPATCH to-day:

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Your exposure of the alarming condition of our school management is a public benefaction. It is not a fight to crush an individual but a desperate struggle to save our schools from the infamy which now threatens them. Your paper has furnished evidence in abundance to show that the Augean stables are no longer a Grecian myth but a living reality in our midst. The remedy now, as then, is a thorough cleaning out, for our schools have long been sacrificed on the altar of personal spite. The people can no longer afford to pay a million of dollars annually to support this ruinous policy. A great public trust has for years been used to promote private ends; to gratify the selfishness and animosity of an individual. The necessity for heroic treatment has dawned on our people. Nothing more infamous in ward politics was ever known than that which is found to exist in the management of our city schools. When an irresponsible officer can systematically use his power to hurt those whom he hates we have reached a depth of infamy that demands immediate attention. The purity of the ballot and the independence of the voter are not more vital than the integrity and individuality of the teacher. When merit fails of recognition and terror becomes the secret of power the morals of our schools will pollute the morals of society, and no prophetic vision is needed to predict the end. Let the people's schools be managed in the people's interest. Any compromise with such vice and such incompetence must prove our certain ruin. None but competent men are any guarantee of a sound policy.

ONE WHO KNOWS.

The people of St. Louis have upon their shoulders now the responsibility of dealing with a School Board which places the public schools of St. Louis in a position where, to quote from the above letter, "Merit fails of recognition and terror becomes the secret of power."

Immoral school directors and "suspect" possessors of "petticoat pulls" are the people to be dealt with.

Mr. W. C. Steigers

Will call on merchants wishing to contract for advertising in POST-DISPATCH. Telephone 284.

A MYSTERIOUS GUEST.

The Strange Woman Who Lives at a Hotel in Walnutport, Pa.

READING, Pa., Sept. 26.—Phaeon Buttner, proprietor of the Pennsylvania Hotel at Walnutport on the Schuylkill & Lehigh Railroad, about thirty-five miles from here, has in his house a mysterious woman. Eight years ago a stranger brought her to the hotel and asked Mr. Buttner if he would keep her. The landlord consented to do so for $50 a month. The stranger was well dressed, made an excellent impression, and appeared to be a man who had not yet reached middle age. The woman, the landlord learned was 76 years of age. She seemed to be a person of intelligence and refinement, though at times she was seized with strange spells. The stranger said her mind had become deranged through brain fever. The woman has been there ever since. All efforts to find out who she is have failed. Recently her mind has been failing and at night she cries and yells while during the day she goes through the house slamming doors. The landlord and his family have become used to her vagaries and do not mind her. She is perfectly harmless and seems to know nothing of her past.

A check for her board is sent regularly every month by a New York lawyer whose name Mr. Buttner refuses to disclose. The woman has needed more care and attention since she has become childish, and so her board was raised recently to $80 per month. The increase was assented to without a murmur. Promptly during the first week of every month a letter inclosing a check for the previous month is sent to Mr. Buttner. The most that can be learned of the woman is that she is the widow of a New York broker, who is said to have been worth a million when he died.

The woman has a married daughter who comes to see her, and a son, a traveling salesman, who often comes that way and always stops over to see his mother. The woman receives her children with the greatest affection, and when alone with the landlord's family, loves to talk about them. But as to her past life she seems to have no memory. The children claim their mother is better cared for here than she would be in an asylum. Both the son and daughter appear to be people of wealth, refinement and intelligence. They come from New York and generally stay a few days on each visit. The presence of the old lady, all the circumstances connected with her care in a country hotel, and the mysterious way in which the landlord receives his monthly checks, have created considerable speculation in the neighborhood. These questions are often asked: "Who is she?" "Why this mystery?" "Where is her family?" "What is her past history?"

BOARDING-HOUSE TRUST.

Watering-Place Prices Confront the Students of Yale College.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 26.—While the students of Yale were enjoying their summer vacation their landladies got together and the result is a regular first-class boarding-house trust. Now the students—1,800 of them—are back and watering-place prices confront them. There is consternation on the campus and the air is filled with anathemas, with the landladies of New Haven as the text. For decent table-board the student must pay an average of $7 per week, while if he is at all fastidious and wants a few of the comforts of home he must surrender $8, $9 or even $10 of his father's hard-earned money once a week.

There are very few restaurants at all desirable, and the students are at the mercy of the landladies. The prices since last year have risen at least $2 on an average, and this means much to hundreds of students. Besides this matter of table-board there is the matter of rooms. On the campus there are but 260 rooms and for these there are over eight hundred academic petitioners. The result is that between five and six hundred are obliged to throw themselves upon the town.

Rooms anywhere near the campus have risen enormously in price. There are many instances of from $6 to $8 being charged for rooms little larger than a good-sized state room on a Sound boat. The student who is not wealthy must practically live in the suburbs. The faculty are powerless. They say the college is poor and the only solution is donations of three or four new dormitories by the wealthy alumni. It is likely there will be a combined petition to the faculty from all the departments for an eating "commons," similar to those maintained at Harvard, where, by this co-operation, the students are fed well at a price which never goes above $4 a week. A building for such a purpose will soon be available as the old gymnasium will soon be given up, the new building being nearly completed.

IT CALLS FOR BLOOD.

A Street Duel in Prospect Between New Orleans Editors.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 26.—The city has been in a tremor of excitement over an expected hostile meeting between Editor John C. Wickliffe of the *New Delta* and Editor Geo. W. Dupree of the *Daily States*. The *Delta* in a recent issue contained an article signed by its editor denouncing Mr. Dupree as a thief, a perjurer and a coward, and proclaiming him as outside of the code usually adopted by gentlemen in the settlement of personal difficulties. The affair grew out of the lottery controversy. Dupree has had several personal encounters since his connection with the *States*, and both men are looked upon as being ready to arbitrate with pistols. A street duel is expected when the men meet. These two men, it will be recalled, were both members of the Committee of Fifty whose action brought about the march of the mob to the New Orleans Parish prison last spring when the Sicilians were put to death. Editor Wickliffe was one of the prominent figures in the crowd which gathered about the monument on that eventful day and was in the lead when the procession started for the jail. Dupree was there also, but was not so conspicuous as Wickliffe. The names of both men are mentioned in the report which ex-Consul Corti carried with him to Premier Rudini on his return to Rome.

MARRIED THE KING'S DAUGHTER.

Romantic Story From the Paumolo Islands in the South Pacific.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—A romantic story comes from the Paumolo Islands in the South Pacific. William Gibson has just returned from there and says that Samuel Harris, 26 years old, who was born and reared here and has been for five years in the islands, has married the daughter of King Tokolaia, and has been made Prime Minister. When Harris left San Francisco he went trading in the islands. He had small capital but he turned it to good account and soon become identified with the pearl fisheries at the harbor of Tokolaia, and quickly made so much money that for two or three years he has controlled the fisheries and is known as the pearl king. The King of the Islands is proud of his enterprising son-in-law and openly states that at his death he will confer the scepter on him. The Paumolo Islands are a long way out in the South Pacific. They are east of the Society group and are a part of what is known as the Low Archipelago. The Paumolos, which comprise some three thousand miles in area, are independent of the French and Harris, as Prime Minister and heir to the throne, says he will take good care that the French do not get their grip on the country. The population of the Paumolos is about nine thousand.

AN EARL'S DAUGHTER.

She Tells the Story of Her Shame in a Canadian Court.

TORONTO, Ontario, Sept. 26.—A daughter of the Earl of Ponsonby and sister of Lord Kinnaird was in the Hamilton Police Court on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. She was discarded by her family for marrying a groom, who afterwards deserted her. She has since drifted about the world, marrying again, to be deserted a second time. Her father left her £10,000 and she has an income of $66 a month. She has been a member of the Salvation Army.

EPH EWING ALIVE.

Relatives Informed That He Is on His Way to Missouri.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 26.—Senator F. M. Cockrell, a brother-in-law of M. E. Ewing, who was reported probably murdered by the Chilcat Indians in Alaska, telegraphed relatives in this city last night that he had received information to the effect that Mr. Ewing is safe and on his way home.

CYCLONE COMING.

Weather Prophet Foster Predicts One for St. Louis Next Friday.

SIDE-SHOW OF A CONTINENTAL STORM FROM THE WEST.

Weather Officer Hammon Shakes His Head Doubtfully, as He Has No Faith in Foster's Forecasts—The Cold Wave Billed for St. Louis Sidetracked on the Way—Weather Reports by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 26.—A special dispatch from St. Joseph, Mo., says Weather Prophet Foster makes these predictions: "A remarkable period of great storms will occur during the first half of October, that will be surpassed only by those that will occur in March, 1892. There will be three storm-waves during this storm period, which will cross the Continent from West to East along the usual storm center routes. The first of these storm waves will be most severe in the Mississippi Valley and the last on the Atlantic Coast. The first will be due to leave the Pacific Coast about Sept. 30, cross the Rocky-Allegheny Valley from Oct. 1 to 3, and reach the Atlantic Coast about the 4th. On the 2d the storm wave will cross the Mississippi River not far from St. Louis and will then be of very considerable force in Illinois and Missouri. Accompanying this storm wave may be expected tornadoes, cloud-bursts, hail and severe gales and within one or two days following it killing frosts will visit most localities in latitude 36, with a strong probability of frosts much South. Hurricanes will develop great force on the North Atlantic at this time, but I cannot give their exact location, but they will probably be not far east of the West Indies. These hurricanes will become very fierce along the Atlantic Coast from Oct. 1 to Oct. 18. These October storms will indicate what the coming winter will be. I expect very great storms from Oct. 1 to the last of March, and if this period of storms covering the first half of October proves to be of more than usual force, it will indicate that I have not miscalculated the weather, and we may then confidently expect a very cold, severe and stormy winter, setting in quite early. Saturn will pass his equinox the last of October, and to that influence I attribute the great increase of storms since the middle of last May."

Observer Hammon of the Weather Bureau is very skeptical in regard to Foster's predictions. He does not flatly deny the forecasts, but he says that any man who undertakes to foretell the state of the weather for a greater period than a week is building his prophesies on a very unsubstantial foundation, in fact, guessing, pure and simple. Mr. Hammon further said that while in the East on his vacation he read a prediction of Foster that had a frost on the programme for the central region on Sept. 17, which day distinguished itself for its excessive heat. Mr. Hammon does not claim to be an astronomer, but he thinks that Saturn should influence the entire globe, instead of restricting its field of action to the central part of the United States.

MR. HAMMOD'S SCEPTICISM.

Mr. Hammon is also very dubious about the great increase of storms since the middle of last May, and bases his doubts upon statistics for this year and last year. In May, 1890, there were fifteen rainy days, and a precipitation of 5.81 inches of rain. There were eleven rainy days in June of the same year with a precipitation of 3.18 inches, four rainy days in July with a fall of .87; six rainy days in August with 2.43 inches of rain; ten rainy days in September, with 1.80 inches of rain. In the corresponding months of the present year, May had seven rainy days with 2.73 inches of precipitation; June, fifteen rainy days, with a fall of 5.97 inches; July, six rainy days, and 1.50 inches; August, twelve rainy days that let drop 2.75 inches of rain, and the present month is credited with two rainy days and a fall of .45 inches. As the rain always accompanies the storms, there does not appear to have been an excess of storms by any means. A strong point which Mr. Hammon makes is the absence in the present year of all instances of excessive precipitation, that is a fall of 1 inch or more in an hour, or of 2½ inches in twenty-four hours, while in 1890 there were two "excessive precipitation" days, May 18 2.23 inches fell in fifty minutes, and on May 23 1.50 fell in one hour and a half.

That cool area which has been hovering in the West and the Northwest, and which was billed to reach St. Louis in full force, has apparently sent only an off-shoot to appease the suffering thousands that have been in St. Louis for the past two weeks.

THIS MORNING'S RETURNS.

The returns this morning from the different stations show a slight rise in the temperature in the region of the Dakotas and Montana, where yesterday morning there was a frost, with a rapidly lowering temperature in the lake region and in Canada. Mr. Hammon predicted for the twenty-four hours beginning this morning fair weather, stationary temperature, with variable winds. There is a prospect of rain, but the conditions are so vacillating that the observer will not give a direct forecast of rain. There was rain yesterday in New Mexico. To-day there is, or has been, rain in Central Kansas, Nebraska and Texas, and the tendency of the showers is slowly toward the East. This rain area may come like a wet blanket and quench the parched territory in and around St. Louis. However, rain falls only where there is moisture to be absorbed and the entire Western country is so arid from the long drouth that the rain-clouds may linger, and perhaps dissolve without ever coming to the city's relief.

FALL OF 18 DEG.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Sept. 26.—The temperature has fallen from 64 deg. to 46 deg. in the past twenty-four hours, and the weather is much cooler. The change is a great relief to the unusual heat which has been the lot of this city.

BIG DROP IN MICHIGAN.

GRAND HAVEN, Mich., Sept. 26.—The thermometer has fallen 16 deg. since yesterday morning and is now at 7 a. m. 56 deg. The drop has been sudden, but it is none the less appreciated. There has been much discomfort in this usually pleasant city on account of the high temperature, and it is the universal prayer that the city has seen and felt the last of the sun's burning heat.

CANADIAN WEATHER.

PORT ARTHUR, Ontario, Sept. 26.—The thermometer registers 46 deg. this morning, a sudden fall from 58 deg. yesterday morning. The weather has been comparatively pleasant in this neighborhood, but the heat has been considerably above the normal. The change it is thought is a permanent one.

VERY COMFORTABLE THERE.

PORT HURON, Mich., Sept. 26.—The temperature has experienced a drop of 6 deg. since yesterday, and the weather is getting back to its autumn form.

COOLER ON LAKE SUPERIOR.

MARQUETTE, Mich., Sept. 26.—We have had a drop of 8 deg. in the temperature. The change is welcomed.

VERY PLEASANT ON GREEN BAY.

MANISTEE, Mich., Sept. 26.—A drop that seemed the forerunner of a cold wave visited this city in the last twenty-four hours. The mercury climbed down sixteen degrees and is now at 50 degs.

WARMER IN NORTH DAKOTA.

MOOREHEAD, N. D., Sept. 26.—There has been a rise of twelve degrees since yesterday morning, but the weather is not as oppressive as it has been.

WENT UP 14 DEG.

BISMARCK, N. D., Sept. 26.—The mercury has risen 14 deg. since yesterday and is now at 56 deg. The cool spell has lost its cunning.

UP TO 58 DEG.

FORT SULLY, N. D., Sept. 26.—The reading of this morning was 58 deg., a rise of 16 deg. since yesterday. The cooling effect of the late change is still perceptible.

ABOUT STATIONARY AT ST. PAUL.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 26.—The temperature was 58 deg. this morning, a rise of 2 deg. since yesterday. The weather is comparatively comfortable, however.

WARMER IN MONTANA.

FORT CUSTER, Mont., Sept. 26.—There has been an upward movement of 10 deg. since yesterday.

EAST ST. LOUIS AND BELLEVILLE.

Joseph Hawson Arrested for Assault—East Side News.

Joseph Hawson, a stock yard blacksmith, has been arrested on a warrant for assault, issued by Justice Wyatt on complaint of Mitchell Anderson, a farmer. Anderson claims Hawson struck him in the face, knocking out several teeth and causing his team to run away. The team was attached to a wagon loaded with produce, and as the horses ran into the creek the produce was lost. To-day Anderson filed suit in the City Court against Hawson for $5,000 damages for trespass and also commenced proceedings against him in Justice Wyatt's Court to recover $200, the value of his load of produce.

The City Court was in session but a shtor time this morning. Circuit Judge Burroughs was on hand ready to hear argument on a motion for new trial in the case of John O. Butler against the city, but a postponement was necessitated by the absence of Attorney J. M. Freels. The hearing was reset for next Saturday and court adjourned until Tuesday morning.

Thefts of clothing from the residences of Mrs. A. Lidehart on St. Louis avenue, near Sixth street, and J. T. Farrell, 231 Collinsville avenue, were reported to the police to-day.

Jesse M. Freels received a telegram last night informing him of the death at her home in Nashville, Tenn., of his sister, Mrs. Dr. Fisher. He left for Nashville to attend the funeral.

John Zepp and William Jackson were arrested by the police to-day charged with stealing iron from the railroad yards.

East St. Louis Lodge, No. 294, A. O. U. W., initiated two candidates last night.

William Guignon has gone to Joplin, Mo., to superintend his uncle's mines.

Belleville.

Mrs. Margaret Arnold, an aged resident of Ridge Prairie, died yesterday. She was 92 years old. The funeral took place to-day at Shiloh Cemetery.

The Southern Illinois M. E. Conference, held at Mount Vernon this week, named Belleville as the meeting place for next year.

Seven boys who have been guilty of insulting pedestrians on the Franklin street bridge were arrested by the police last night and will be prosecuted.

George Washington and Caroline St. James, colored, arraigned in the Circuit Court yesterday on an indictment for adultery, were permitted to marry and the charges against them were dismissed. Fred Davis, indicted for larceny, pleaded guilty and was sent to jail for forty-five days.

A marraige liscense was issued yesterday to William E. Fulton and Mary E. Schute of Pinckneyville.

Mrs. Gaston Vicaise has gone to Kansas City to visit her mother.

CARONDELET ZINC-WORKS.

Two More Furnaces Added—The Industry Growing—South End News.

Two more furnaces have been added to the Glendale Zinc-works. This makes sixteen furnaces in full blast and the output of zinc is now 40,000 pounds daily. The large industry consumes 96,000 pounds of raw ore, and 3,000 bushels of coal a day. The number of men now employed is over three hundred.

Henry Reineke, who resides on second and Elwood streets, is the owner of a fine imported milch cow, and yesterday the animal showed symptoms of Texas fever. The neighbors notified him that he must have the animal quarantined, but a veterinary surgeon who examined the cow states that she was only suffering from colic and not from the fever, and now all is quiet again.

On account of the exceedingly dry weather, the inhabitants of the little villages of Luxemburg, Afton, Mehlville and Ivory are suffering very much. Cisterns are dry and so are the creeks. Late vegetables are being burnt up for want of rain. In Carondelet hundreds of families are suffering for the want of rain, as their cisterns are completely destitute of water.

In the diamond medal shoot which will take place next Sunday morning at the Compton Hill Gun Club's park, the Carondelet Gun Club will be represented by four crack shots, M. C. Brown, Ed. Meyer, Geo. Hill and Geo. Lay.

Mr. Harry Doering of Butte, Mont., formerly of Carondelet, has married a charming young society belle of that place and will spend his honeymoon at his mother's home on Minnesota avenue.

Edward Pils, the 16-year-old boy who mysteriously absented himself from home last Monday, was found by the police wandering aimlessly about town.

The Carondelet *Progress*, a weekly journal edited by Mr. T. J. Herbel, will be converted into a bi-weekly paper within a short period.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Slanger are occupying their beautiful new home, 7814 Michigan avenue.

The South End Gun Club will give a medal shoot Sunday.

Rev. Father E. A. Schindel is visiting in Buffalo, N. Y.

ESCAPED FROM THE BARRACKS.

Four United States Prisoners Make Their Escape in a Peculiar Manner.

About 5:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon four prisoners from Jefferson Barracks made their escape in a most peculiar manner. Three sentinels or guards had charge of five prisoners, who were doing police duty in the extreme northern part of the reservation. Police duty does not mean guarding the garrison, but in clearing up the grounds, etc. While the men were at work one of them fell to the ground and pretended to suffer excruciating pain in the region of the bowels. He asked the guard if he would not take him to a saloon and get him a little brandy and the guard said he would. The entire crowd were suddenly attacked with trouble in the bowels and so all of them—guards and prisoners—went to a "ranch," or saloon, near the Ordnance Department, where they took a good dram apiece. Then, as if by an arranged plan, the prisoners overpowered the guards and took their guns from them then hurried away in the direction of Carondelet. The guards followed and pretty soon caught one of the runaways, the fellow having thrown away his gun as the others had theirs as soon as they got out sight of the saloon. The other four got away and have not been seen since, although within twenty minutes of their escape the woods was full of cavalrymen from the Barracks looking for them. One of the four is a man named McCormack who deserted from the Seventh Cavalry during the late Indian war.

TEACHERS' MUTUAL AID ASSOCIATION.

The Annual Session Held This Morning at the Polytechnic Building.

The Teachers' Mutual Aid Association met at the board-room this morning in annual session. President T. E. Cook called the meeting to order at 10 o'clock. Mr. T. E. Cook was elected President; Mrs. Rose Fanning, Vice-President, and Mr. C. L. Hammerstein, Secretary and Treasurer. The Board of Directors consists of these three officers, and in addition Mrs. Ione Anderson, Mr. Alex H. Noel, Miss Mary C. McCulloch, Miss Kate H. Haus, Miss Maria Levin, Miss N. Wayne Prewett. To the visiting committee were elected Miss Ella T. Stearns, Miss Jerome C. Johnson and Miss Henrietta S. Order. The Treasurer reported cash in the treasury Sept. 1, $1,194.37; sick benefits paid during the year ending Sept. 1, $868.70; number of members Sept. 1, 157. The meeting then adjourned.

Death of Mrs. Annie Connor.

Mrs. Annie Connor, a well-known lady residing in the West End, died at her residence, 1212 Elliot avenue, at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. The deceased was the wife of M. J. Connor, and was well and favorably known and leaves a large circle of friends to mourn her loss. The deceased was a very charitable lady. The funeral services will be held at St. Bridget's Church on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, after which the remains will be taken to Calvary Cemetery for interment. The deceased leaves a husband, two sons and a daughter to mourn her loss.

HE STARTLED THEM.

A Remarkable Exhibition at the College of Physicians and Surgeons.

SENOR NORMANDO, A SPANIARD, PERFORMS SOME WONDERFUL FEATS.

He Stretches His Neck Like a Piece of Rubber and Tosses His Head Like a Ball Attached to a String—Phenomenal Display of Muscular Contraction and Expansion.

A remarkable exhibition was given this morning at the St. Louis College of Physicians and Surgeons at Jefferson avenue and Gamble street by Senor Normando, a Spaniard, who has very few, if any, equals as a contortionist. One of his feats this morning was calculated to make the physicians and students present shudder and wonder how he could give such a performance and live afterward. This consisted in stretching his neck as though it were made of rubber and then swinging it around and back and forth in the fashion of a ball attached to a piece of rubber. This was the most amazing feat, but there were others almost as remarkable. Normando demonstrated that his muscles, veins and ligiments, not to speak of his bones, were certainly not constructed on the same plan as those of the ordinary man. He came to the city a few days ago and gave an exhibition before Dr. Wm. F. Thornton, the demonstrator of anatomy, and Dr. Ohman-Dumesnil, professor of dermatology of the St. Louis College of Physicians and Surgeons. They pronounced his performances marvelous and arranged to have him repeat his exhibition beford the faculty and students of the college.

INTERESTED SPECTATORS.

The performance began at 10 o'clock in the large auditorium of the college. Dr. A. S. Barnes, the Dean, most of the professors and about one hundred and seventy students were present. Normando appeared before the gathering in a suit of pink tights with trimmings of different colors. He is about 5 feet 8 inches in height and weighs something like 140 pounds. He is finely proportioned and has muscles of large development. Dr. Thornton, who had charge of the details, opened the exercises with a lecture touching on Normando and other cases somewhat similar that are found in the medical literature. He laid stress on the point that the phenomenal feats Normando was about to show were not due to pathological but to physiological conditions. A hideous looking skeleton, attached to a swinging wire, was before the lecturer and he illustrated his lecture by touching a rib, the shinbone or some other part of the dead man's remains. In the meantime Normando employed himself rubbing resin on his hands to prevent his slipping on the carpet that had been spread on the platform for his performance. The prefatory lecture over, the rubber man, as the students termed the Spaniard, began his exhibition. He did all the ordinary tricks of the contortionist first, and went through them like clockwork. He then startled his audience by bending his spinal column double, backwardly and outwardly on both sides. He then twisted his arms as though he intended to tie them up in knots.

GOT THE CHEESE.

He next gave an exhibition which must have tried every muscle in his body. He attached a fork to his right heel and lay flat on his face and hands. About eighteen inches out from his head was a plate containing several little blocks of cheese. After a series of preliminary contortions, he raised the heel and his body at the same time and bent the leg in such a manner as to pass the fork still attached to the heel under his body, and though it looked impossible, he slowly worked the fork to the plate and reached the cheese. He resumed his original position and after a brief rest reversed the performance, working his foot over his head until he reached his mouth with the cheese. In the meantime his body assumed all sorts of shapes. He did several other movements in reaching the plate of cheese, all of which were loudly applauded. He then threw his shoulders in such a position as to make them appear dislocated, and by making several quick movements got them back into their original shape.

LIKE A GIRAFFE.

His crowning feat, however, was the neck-stretching performance, and this was pronounced the most remarkable of all. His first movement was to throw his head and arms back until his hands touched the floor. This is what the small boys term "bending the crab." He then drew his legs and arms up and let his head drop until his neck looked like that of a giraffe. He then began swinging his head like a pendulum of a clock, in the meantime using his right foot to kick it forward when it swung too far back. After this he tossed it back and forth and around in such a rapid manner that the spectators could not distinguish his features. All the time the neck was stretched out like a piece of rubber. Dr. Thornton called attention to the fact that the head moved as though the neck was broken

While the performer was resting from this exertion, the lecturer spoke of cases where the ligaments in the neck had been expanded. He illustrated the various muscles on the blackboard and pointed out the great risk the performer undertook in giving such an exhibition. There was danger of a slip in what might be termed the "Adontard process," which would result in instant death. He warned the Spaniard against taking such chances, as there was danger of a slip at any time.

The closing feat consisted of exerting the muscles in the stomach and abdomen in such a manner as to gather the entire interior construction up in a ball. The performance was appreciated to such an extent that a collection was raised for Normando and a vote of thanks tendered to Dr. Thornton by the faculty and students.

MAY COMPROMISE.

Probable Result of Searles-Hopkins Will Contest.

SALEM, Mass., Sept. 26.—It is rumored that the hearings in the Searles' will case may not be resumed and that negotiations for a settlement will be reopened before Oct. 14. The contestants have learned through papers brought out in the hearings that even if they should win eventually, the legal intrenchments of the other side are so many that the litigation would be very long, extending possibly over a generation, and eating seriously into the estate. After breaking the will there would be many other suits to fight, and this makes it probable that a settlement will be sought.

HENRY WARD BEECHER'S WILL.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—C. E. O'Connor, receiver of the property of Herbert F. Beecher, in a judgment of L. S. Chase for $484 obtained some years ago, has cited the executors of the will of the late Henry Ward Beecher to file an accounting to show what disposition has been made of the $5,000 share of Herbert in the estate of his father. The hearing will occur Oct. 14.

Four Chinamen Captured.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Sept. 26.—Four Chinamen named Lem Sing, La Sing, Ah Chew and Me Mow, were captured in this city at 3:30 o'clock this morning after a chase of twenty-five miles across the country from Cape Vincent, they having violated the exclusion law. Ah Chew is a Canadian citizen. The others will be returned to China.

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YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

The Browns were beaten at Louisville [yes-] terday by the Colonels, who are putting [up] a stiff game at present. The Athletics wi[ped] up the ground with Washington, and Bos[ton] again defeated Baltimore. Boston, N[ew] York, Cleveland and Chicago were [the] League winners. The Chicago-Pittsbu[rg] game was given to Chicago by Umpire M[c-] Quaid, who ordered Catcher Miller of Pit[ts-] burg to retire. Manager McGunnigle refu[sed] to allow him to do so, and McQuaid t[hen] declared the game forfeited to Chicago.

Louisville beat the Browns yesterday ma[in-] ly on Fuller's errors and Cahill's splen[did] work with the bat. McGill was in the box [for] the Browns and held the home team d[own] to six hits. Meekin twirled a good game [for] the Louisvilles, and was given splendid s[up-] port. The summary was as follows: Lo[uis-] ville, 7; Browns, 4. Base hits—Louisv[ille,] 6; Browns, 4. Errors—Louisville, 1; Brow[ns,] 8. Batteries—Louisville, Meekin and Ca[hill;] Browns, McGill and Munyan.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.

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"I understand the Association people do not anticipate doing much business in Chicago on week days, but will depend for support principally upon Sunday patronage," says President Hart of the Chicago Club in an interview in a Windy City evening paper. "If this is their idea they will have the City League to fight in the first place. This City League is a strong and popular organization. It maintains twelve teams, who play all their games on Sunday. The League has the support of the entire press of the city, which gives full reports of its games, and treats it even more liberally than it does the National League. In the second place, the American Association cannot find any ground within even reasonable distance of the city.

"The Association has approached several of our players and met the same response every time. The promoters of this new scheme know that, to make it at all popular in this city, they must secure some of the local League players. They cannot get one whom we wish to retain. I expect soon to hear they have been trying to approach Anson.

"An Association club here means the loss of from $50,000 to $80,000 the first year. It would be the Cincinnati-Pendleton scheme over again twofold."

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

The Browns were beaten at Louisville yesterday by the Colonels, who are putting up a stiff game at present. The Athletics wiped up the ground with Washington, and Boston again defeated Baltimore. Boston, New York, Cleveland and Chicago were the League winners. The Chicago-Pittsburg game was given to Chicago by Umpire McQuaid, who ordered Catcher Miller of Pittsburg to retire. Manager McGunnigle refused to allow him to do so, and McQuaid then declared the game forfeited to Chicago.

Louisville beat the Bro wns yesterday mainly on Fuller's errors and Cahill's splendid work with the bat. McGill was in the box for the Browns and held the home team down to six hits. Meekin twirled a good game for the Louisvilles, and was given splendid support. The summary was as follows: Louisville, 7; Browns, 4. Base hits—Louisville, 6; Browns, 4. Errors—Louisville, 1; Browns, 8. Batteries—Louisville, Meekin and Cahill; Browns, McGill and Munyan.

At Philadelphia: Athletics, 13; Washington, 4. Base hits—Athletics, 14; Washington, 6. Errors—Athletics, 2; Washington, 7. Batteries—Athletics, Chamberlain and Mulligan; Washington, Carsey and McGuire.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Brooklyn: New York, 7; Brooklyn, 6. Base hits—New York, 8; Brooklyn, 10. Errors—New York, 1; Brooklyn, 2. Batteries—New York, Welch and O'Rourke; Brooklyn, Foutz and Dailey.

At Cleveland: Cleveland, 10; Cincinnati, 8. Base hits—Cleveland, 14; Cincinnati, 10. Errors—Cleveland, 4; Cincinnati, 6. Batteries—Cleveland—Gruber, Viau and Zimmer; Cincinnati—Rhines and Keenan.

At Boston: Boston, 6; Philadelphia, 3. Base hits—Boston, 11; Philadelphia, 8. Errors—Boston, 2; Philadelphia, 4. Batteries—Boston, Clarkson and Ganzel; Philadelphia, Gleason and Fields.

At Chicago: Chicago, 4; Pittsburg, 4. Base hits—Chicago, 4; Pittsburg, 6. Errors—Chicago, 1; Pittsburg, 1. Batteries—Chicago, Gumbert,

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	P.	W.	L.	Pc.
Boston	127	88	39	.693
St. Louis	131	83	48	.634
Baltimore	127	68	59	.535
Athletics	131	68	63	.519
Columbus	133	61	72	.459
Milwaukee	129	58	71	.450
Louisville	129	50	79	.388
Washington	127	41	86	.323

LEAGUE.

	P.	W.	L.	Pc.
Chicago	129	81	48	.628
Boston	129	79	50	.612
New York	122	68	54	.557
Philadelphia	129	67	62	.519
Cleveland	132	60	72	.455
Pittsburg	129	55	74	.426
Brooklyn	128	55	73	.423
Cincinnati	130	49	81	.377

BASE BALL GOSSIP.

Manager McGunnigle of the Pittsburg Pirates is now attempting to induce young Killen, the crack south paw twirler of the Milwaukee team, to desert his club and sign with Pittsburg for next season.

Boston is after Charley King and will secure him beyond a doubt if he is reported correctly by the Smoky City papers, who have him down as saying that he will not play with the Association under any circumstances.

Secretary Hawley of the Cleveland League team says that there is no truth in the story that the Spiders have signed three of the Baltimore Association men for next season. Hawley did not attempt, though, to deny that they had made an effort to do so.

Pete Browning has returned to his home in Louisville and says that he will not play any more this season. He broke a small bone in his right hand shortly after the Cincinnati Club started on their recent Eastern trip. This was hard on Browning, as he stood second in the League batting averages, and it is dollars to doughnuts had it not been for the accident he would have passed Hamilton.

The Columbus Club management released right-fielder John L. Sneed Thursday. The pitchers will alternate in that position for the balance of the season. Of the present team only Knell, Crooks, Duffy and Twitchell will be retained next year. They have agreed to sign contracts for 1892. The club owners will quit about even on the season, with a salary list of over $80,000.

President Von der Ahe is said to have announced before he left on the present trip with his club that Latham and Second Baseman McPhee of the present Cincinnati team would wear Brown Stocking uniforms next season and that Infielder Richardson of New York would also, in all probability, join the St. Louis ranks.

Manager Mutrie and Anson walked out of the Polo grounds on Friday last, says a New York exchange. Mutrie was using all persuasiveness on Anson to get him to consent to play two games the next day. They walked into Sauer's cafe. "What will you have?" asked Mutrie. "I'll take a—well, I don't know—give me—" and then "Anse" hesitated again and looked all about the room. "Oh, give me a whisky," spoke up Mutrie. "Well, I guess I'll have a—well, I declare I don't know—(and again "Anse" looked all around)—give me a—Oh, a sarsaparilla."

THE TURF.

Tenny has run his last race this year, with the chances in favor of his being retired permanently. He has been a wonderful horse, and it is doubtful if ever a horse on the American turf was as strong a favorite with the public as the famous swayback. In his battles with Salvator they were sure to back him until it was proved that Salvator was his master in any way a race would be run. His owner is D. T. Pulsifer, one of the most unpopular owners on the turf with the general public. As Mr. Pulsifer is the possessor of several high-bred mares that have produced winners, Tenny will begin his career in the stud with everything in his favor.

BROOKLYN JOCKEY CLUB.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Sept. 26.—The Western Union Telegraph Co. has been working a neat scheme the past few days which has enabled them to supply the pool-rooms in this city and New York with the results at the Brooklyn Jockey Club races. The scheme was done by a system of electric flash telegraph signals and the outfit worked from a hat on a coachman's head, who was nominally driving a carriage, the battery being concealed in the rig. Pinkerton noticed the peculiar hat and the fact that the rig regularly, for the last week or two, stood facing Sleigh's Hotel, in which the Western Union office was situated. The whole outfit was scooped in yesterday, which puts a stop to that racket. The day's summaries were as follows:

First race, one mile—Maggie Beck, first; May Wynne, second; Maywood, third. Time, 1:45¾.

Second race, one and one-sixteenth miles—Madstone, first; Lizzie, second; Sir John, third. Time, 1:45½.

Third race—St. Pancras, first; Alliquipa, second; St. Denis, third. Time, 1:03.

Fourth race (distance not given)—Alcalde, first; Fagot, second; Bengal, third. Time, 1:02¾.

Fifth race, one mile—Mary Stone, first; Lord Harry, second; Trinity, third. Time, 1:42¾.

Sixth race, one and one-sixteenth miles—Cynosure, first; Hoodlum, second; Virgie, third. Time, 1:49¾.

Seventh race, five-eighths of a mile—Wah Jim, first; Airplant, second; Hoey, third. Time, 1:02¼.

AT LATONIA.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 26.—The races yesterday resulted as follows:

First race, selling, purse, for 3-year-olds and upward that have run and not won at this meeting, one mile and twenty yards—Van Zandt, first; Free Trade, second; Maud B., third. Time, 1:45.

Second race, purse for maiden 2-year-olds, four and a half furlongs—Reticence, first; Torrent, second; Empress Frederick, third. Time, :56¾.

Third race, selling, purse for all ages, one mile—Bob Forsythe, first; Bon Air, second; Hueneme, third. Time, 1:43.

Fourth race, purse for 3-year-olds and upward, one mile and fifty yards—Carus, first; Kinselm, second; Vartea, third. Time, 1:45.

Fifth race, a free handicap sweepstakes for 2-year-olds, five furlongs—Fannette, first; Rally, second; Ollie Glenn, third. Time, 1:02½.

Sixth race, a free handicap sweepstakes for 2-year-olds, four and a half furlongs—Lombard, first; Comether, second; Celerity, third. Time, :56¾.

GLOUCESTER RESULTS.

GLOUCESTER, N. J., Sept. 26.—First race, six and one-half furlongs—Climax, first; Valodia, second; Tattler, third. Time, 1:25½.

Second race, five-eighths of a mile—Arapahoe, first; Disappointment, second; Jurist, third. Time, 1:05.

Third race, six and one-half furlongs—Pestilence, first; Paola, second; Norwood, third. Time, 1:25¾.

Fourth race, one and one-quarter miles—Middlestone, first; Ceawood, second; Sam Wood, third. Time, 2:13¼.

Fifth race, three-fourths of a mile—Guard, first; Basil Duke, second; Uncle Sim, third. Time, 1:17¾.

Sixth race, four and a half furlongs—Avery, first; Sunday, second; Dirigo, third. Time, :57¼.

GARFIELD PARK RACES.

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—After the first race at Garfield Park yesterday nine jockeys who participated in it were arrested, charged with violating a city ordinance which prohibits racing within 400 yards of a boulevard or public park. Al Hawkins, who is said to run the track, was arrested charged with gambling, which is in violation of a State law. Corrigan is the instigator in the matter, which is the outcome of the rival race track war. The jockeys were bailed out, and the races proceeded as usual. The summaries were as follows:

First race, mile and a sixteenth—Boyle Rhodes, first; My Queen, second; Signature, third. Time, 1:51½.

Second race, one mile—Lizzie Gwynn, first; Eolem, second; Happy Day, third. Time, 1:43¾.

Third race, fifteen-sixteenths of a mile—Yo Tambien, first; Big Casino, second; Aturo, third. Time, 1:38. Gorman finished second, but was placed last on account of fouling Big Casino.

Fourth race—Declared off.

Fifth race, three-quarters of a mile—Adversity, first; Exclusion, second; Annie Martin, third. Time, 1:16.

TRACK TALK.

Every race-goer is enthusiastic over the superb style in which Frederick Taral is riding. Wednesday he was on three out of the six winners, and in all three cases success was achieved by the hardest work combined with the finest skill.

J. W. Rogers, who has trained for Capt. S. S. Brown of Pittsburg for several years, will not train for Capt. Brown after this season, but will have a racing stable of his own. Capt. Brown's retirement from the turf is therefore probable, as he said he would abandon racing when Mr. Rogers gave up training for him.

ATHLETICS.

The first detachment of athletic champions who are entered for the St. Louis meeting left New York, under the charge of Prof. Goldie, Thursday. They comprise the New York Athletic Club peformers, and the party was made up of a dozen or more. They will first stop at Toronto and take a day's rest, preparatory to participating in the Canadian championships to-day. On Sunday they will leave for Detroit, where a big meeting will be held on Wednesday. From there a jump will be made to the Mound City and sufficient time afforded the men to get the stiffness out of themselves before the championship games are held. Prof. Goldie stated before leaving New York that all of his men were in good condition, and some surprising performances may be looked for at St. Louis. He expressed himself as more confident than ever that Downes will reverse the result of Remington's defeat of him in the Metropolitan championships. The New York man has had a good rest since his last race and is now running stronger than ever; 49s. will have to be done to beat him in the quarter on Oct. 3.

CRICKET.

CRICKET GROUND, PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 26.—Play was resumed at 11:10 this morning, in the international cricket match between Lord Hawke and eleven selected from the crack Philadelphia teams. The crowd in attendance at the opening this morning was much larger than when the Englishmen began their inning yesterday, fully 3,000 people being grouped around the field. The sun shines hot and bright and the crease is in perfect condition. No change was made in the make-up of either team.

SPORTING NOTES.

The New York athletic contingent who will take part in the coming championship games in this city in October will arrive next Friday.

Miss Annie Oakley, the great American wing shot, is performing some remarkable feats in England. Recently she stood on her head and made a fine score firing at clay pigeons.

J. D. Clausen of the Boston and Melrose Athletic Club claims to have broken the record by 8 inches at the running hop, step and jump, making 43 feet 7½ inches at the club's games on Saturday.

"Watch," a magnificent smooth-coated St. Bernard dog, the property of Mr. Hoag of Toledo, O., is reported to have died yesterday. "Watch" was recently imported from England and is valued at $3,000.

J. Ludlow Christie, '92, has been appointed captain of the Columbia College foot-ball team. The candidates for the team will meet Sept. 26 for practice. Half a dozen of last year's teams will probably play this year.

Kid Ryan of Chicago and Freddy Brogan, light weights, fought nine bloody rounds at Tacoma, Wash., early yesterday morning for a small purse. Ryan gave up the fight and Brogan was declared the winner at the end of the ninth round.

Pat Cahill, the champion amateur middle-weight, announces that he will not compete in any of the boxing tournaments this year. Cahill said the same thing last year and the year before last. After his reinstatement he told a different story.

C. W. Dorutge of Buffalo, at Peoria, Ill., established the record for ten and twenty miles on a bicycle with a patched-up tire. He lowered the ten-mile record from 28m. 37 4-5s. to 26m. 46 3-5s., and the twenty-mile from 58m. 20s. to 53m. 56 2-5s.

Bily Madden is negotiating with "Parson" Davies for the appearance of Jim Hall at Peter Maher's reception at Madison Square Garden next month. Madden hopes to arrange a four-round contest between the giant middle-weight and the Irish champion.

Paddy Smith of Brooklyn says he will fight Austin Gibbons according to Queensbury rules at 133 pounds, give or take two pounds, for $1,000 a side. The fight to take place six weeks from signing articles, and has deposited $100 with a well-known New York sporting man as a forfeit.

George Godfrey, the colored heavy-weight, has retired from the ring. He has been fighting for eleven years, and during this time managed to save considerable money. Godfrey owns considerable real estate in Boston. In addition to this he derives a good income from his school of boxing.

An international sculling race was rowed at New Westminster, British Columbia, yesterday, and was won by O'Connor, the Canadian. Ex-Champion Hanlan was second, Dutch, the Australian, third, and Stephenson, fourth. The course was three miles, O'Connor's time was 20:55.

Richard K. Fox, the stakeholder in the McAuliffe-Gibbons fight, which was awarded to McAuliffe, refused to turn over the purse to him yesterday. Fox says that a protest was handed in by Gibbons and his backers and in consequence he will hold the purse until the matter is settled, which means that the courts will have to settle it.

Charles Currie of Toronto, the champion shot putter of Canada, whom John McPherson, champion of America, defeated at Toronto in a contest of shot-putting for the championship of America, wants another go at McPherson, and is desirous of making a match at putting five shots from fourteen to twenty-two pounds in weight.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hammett of Huntsville, Mo., are spending a fortnight in the city with friends. They are accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hatton of Minneapolis.

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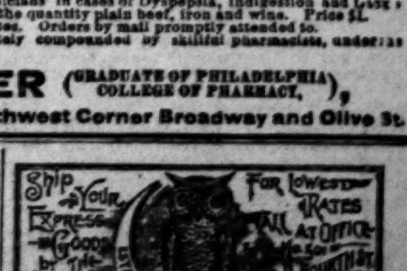

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THE CLAYTON ROAD WILL NOT BE IMPROVED AT PRESENT.

An Echo at the City Hall from the Last Republican Convention—Commissioner Murphy Draws Out of the Fight with President George Burnet—Names Wanted for Forest Park Bridges.

In the doorway of a political resort near the City Hall Delegate Henry Alt stood this morning, chuckling as he talked with Delegate Conrad Huber, the Chairman of the Committee on Public Improvements, of the House. Over in his office at the City Hall, Treasurer Michael J. Foerstel sat chagrined. A few words from Comptroller John W. Stevenson had brought those different expressions to the faces of these two well-known public men. For the last several weeks Treasurer Foerstel has been bending heaven and earth to pass a bill for the improvement of the Clayton road, between Foerstelville and the city limits. The bill was referred to the Committee on Public Improvements after it was introduced in the House, and Delegate Alt began a war on it at once. Treasurer Foerstel was using his personal influence with the members of the committee to get them to report the bill favorably, and he was getting along pretty well until Delegate Alt's opposition manifested itself.

FIGHTING THE BILL.

Delegate Alt is a popular fellow and a personal friend of Chairman Huber. He is on good terms with all the other members of the committee, too, so his hostility told on the chances of the bill. The committee put off a report on the bill from one meeting to another, and Treasurer Foerstel put on the full panoply of war and went after Delegate Alt. The two met in the House of Delegates, and a lively set-to followed. Treasurer Foerstel intimated that Delegate Alt didn't know a good piece of legislation when he saw it, and the Delegate said that the Treasurer's reasons for desiring the passage of the bill were more selfish than they appeared to be on the surface. After the conversation Delegate Alt grew more determined in his antagonism to the bill, and then Treasurer Foerstel put his whole weight on the committee to get the measure reported. The Treasurer is an influential politician, and he persuaded the committee to promise him to report the bill if the Comptroller certified that the city could spare the money for improving the streets. Delegate Alt had played his last card and had to watch and wait. To-day he got word that Comptroller Stevenson had refused to certify that the city could afford to carry the provisions of the bill into effect, and he was jubilant, accordingly.

The bill will now have to go to the Board of Public Improvements for amendment. If the board is willing to put in a section appropriating the money needed from one of the Street Department funds the bill will go back to the House, but the board will, of course, consult the Street Commissioner about the improvement, and all those steps mean delay and more opportunities for Delegate Alt to kill the bill entirely.

ALT'S EXPLANATION.

"The fact is," said Delegate Alt, "that Forestel is trying to build up that town of his out yonder at the expense of the city. Nobody wants that part of the Clayton road improved except Forestel, and he's got no right to ask the city to pay for it. The city's share of the improvement would be $7,000, and the full improvement would be $26,000, all of it expense that is unnecessary, for the present. Now Market street, from Grand avenue west to the limits, wants improvement terribly, and all the people of Rock Springs are clamoring for it. If Foerstel gets the Clayton road improved, Market street will have to wait, and I'll leave it to anybody who knows anything about the travel over the two highways, if Market street should not have the improvement."

There is probably a little more than a jealous regard for the interests of the people of Rock Springs in Delegate Alt's hindering of Treasurer Foerstel's plans. The delegate thinks the Treasurer had a good deal to do with defeating him for the Council nomination in the last Republican convention, and the present seems a good enough time to teach the Filley manager that he is not so influential as he was represented to be to the convention delegates. At any rate, it is one of the most interesting legislative fights that is now going on.

Mr. Murphy's Blood Cools.

Street Commissioner M. J. Murphy to-day indicated a desire to put an end to the controversy between himself and President George Burnet, of the Board of Public Improvements. "The city of St. Louis does not pay the President of the Board of Public Improvements and the Street Commissioner to spend their time making mouths at each other," said he. "It is unbecoming their dignity and the high positions they hold in the city government. I did not commence the ugly work, but I propose to end it now. I have done with it hereafter. I am content to know that Mr. Burnet and his friends in the Engineers' Club did not succeed in their efforts to defeat my appointment and confirmation, and I will try to show the tax-payers the difference between a business administration and a professional one. The city has arrived at that point when we want broader and more business-like views of municipal legislation and management than in my opinion we have had in some of the departments. It is hard for an Irishman to resist hitting a head when sides are taken, but I have reached that point when 'the heyday in the blood is tame and waits upon the judgment.' 'Let us have peace.'"

Names Wanted in the Park.

Park Commissioner J. B. Fechter intends to distinguish his administration by giving popular names to the bridges in Forest Park. These bridges are now known simply by numbers, and the people cannot tell one from another. Nobody knows where Bridge No. 7 or Bridge No. 2 is. The new bridge which is now being built at the bottom of the hilly road that continues from Lindell boulevard will be called the Washington bridge. Commissioner Fechter wants the people who know the park well to send him suggestions for the names of the other bridges. The Wabash bridge, on King's highway, will be opened soon, and will be named immediately. Romantic and patriotic names will be given the preference. "I shall name none of the bridges after people who are living," said the Commissioner. "We don't know how they will pan out."

The Granitoid Sidewalks.

Delegate Conrad Huber, whose Committee on Public Improvements has the bill for granitoid sidewalks in its box, says that the committee has delayed a report on the bill in order that no injustice might be done to those who are unwilling to go to the expense of laying that kind of walks. "I shall not hold the bill any longer than is necessary to find out whether the people want it or not," said he, "but I am not going to rush it through before then." The committeemen all say that the bill would have been reported before this if Col. Dave Armstrong had kept an engagement he made with them. He was to have met them Tuesday to discuss the bill. The committee held a session and waited, but he did not appear, and they put the bill back in the box and adjourned.

For Benefit of Creditors.

LANCASTER, Pa., Sept. 26.—The Lancaster County Mutual Live Stock & Cattle Theft Insurance Co. has made an assignment for the benefit of its creditors, to Wm. B. Given of Columbia, Pa. The assets of the company are $10,000 in premium notes, and the indebtedness of about the same amount will be paid by an assessment of the policies, aggregating over half a million dollars.

THE RIVERS.

Report for the twenty-four hours ending at 9 a. m. All observations taken at the 75th meridian time.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 26.

Stations.	Height of Water.	Change.	Stations.	Height of Water.	Change.
Pittsburg	5.5	0.2	Alton	2 7	-0.1
Parkersburg	3.0	-0.1	Sioux City	4.2	0.0
Cincinnati	6.2	‡-0.1	Omaha	6.5	0.0
Louisville	3.7	-0.2	Kansas City	6.5	0.0
Nashville	1.0	0.1	Boonville	......	......
Chattanooga	2.2	0.1	Arlington	0.0	0.0
Florence	0.2	......	Hermann	4.3	0.0
Decatur	2.2	0.0	St. Louis	5.0	-0.1
St. Paul	1.9	0.0	Chester	3.2	0.0
La Crosse	1.5	0.0	Cape Gir'd'u	......	......
Dubuque	1.0	0.0	Cairo	5.4	-0.3
Le Claire	0.2	0.1	Memphis	4.3	-0.2
Davenport	0.1	0.0	Fort Smith	1.2	-0.1
Keokuk	0.3	-0.1	Little Rock	3.1	-0.1
Keokuk Raps	0.4	1.0	Vicksburg	5.0	-0.4
Louisiana	0.3	-0.1	Shreveport	0.5	-0.1
Peoria	......	......	New Orleans	4.0	-0.1

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

-Fall. ‡Below zero of gauge. Absence of sign in change column indicates rise in river.

W. H. HAMMON, Observer Weather Bureau.

River News.

The Lilly goes to Cairo next week to look after the government lights.

Capt. Lee Howell of Evansville is in the city to-day. He is just recovering from a short spell of sickness.

President Bernheimer of the Merchants' Exchange says he will appoint delegates next week for the water ways convention.

Capt. G. Stern of Keokuk, Io., is trying to sell his little steamer, Nellie Bly, also three barges.

Capt. Chris Young is on his way to New Orleans with the steamer Music.

Capt. Jas. A. Henderson will soon have a controlling interest in the Cincinnati and Pittsburg trade. He has just contracted for another new boat to be finished by Jan. 1. He now owns the Keystone State and an interest in the Andes.

The River came out as usual this morning, and is full of river reading. Its owners are contemplating doubling the size of the paper.

It is alleged by old Cairoites who are in a position to know that the zero of the Government water gauge at this point has never been visible but once since its location, in October, 1841, and then only an hour or so. The occasion was the breaking of the great Columbus, Ky., ice gorge, the following winter, which drained the water from our levee at a militail pace, assisted, of course, by the unbroken gorges in both rivers above Cairo. The employes of the tug Mantauk, belonging to the Cairo City Coal Co., enjoy the distinction of being the only witnesses of the event, being temporarily employed near the gauge when the river began to recede. An hour later, the water resumed its normal condition, and zero has never been able to show itself since.

The Gus Fowler has a broken shaft.

Capt. George Murray is in command of the Sidney Dillon.

The Gayosa is being repaired at Memphis and will be placed in the St. Frances River trade as soon as the river raises.

The departures yesterday were the Sidney Dillon, Cairo; Robert Dodds, Stillwater; Dolphin No. 2, Grafton; Josie, Grafton; Rescue, Evansville; Spread Eagle, Alton; Idlewild, Commerce; City of Cairo, Natchez; Cherokee, Memphis.

There will be no advance made in rates on the Idlewild during the low water season.

The B. S. Rhea is in place of the Gus Fowler.

The Crystal City has been raised by the powerful pumps of the R. A. Speed. She was brought up by the Speed last night and hauled out on the ways, and will soon be on the track again in the Grand Tower trade.

Capt. Lloyd T. Belt is now at Jerseyville, Ill., visiting friends.

The boats of coal suuk by the towboat Beaver above Vicksburg the other day are worth about $12,000.

The City of Monroe arrived from Natchez at 7 a. m., having made a remarkable trip. She did not wet a spar on the trip, neither did they wet an oar for sounding purposes. She returns to Natchez Tuesday.

Capt. Wm. South of Evansville is an applicant for the position of Hull Inspector at that city. He has filled the position before, and steamboatmen generally say he is the best man for the position. The appointment will be made on the return of the supervising inspectors from Washington.

The Gen. Gilmore was at the wharf this morning and left for below.

The D. H. Pike leaves for Peoria this evening.

Maj. A. W. Miller went down on the Gilmore this morning.

The City of Paducah on her last trip down got aground just back of Cairo. The United States snagboat H. G. Wright passed a few minutes afterward and was hailed by the Paducah to give her a pull, and she would have been off in ten minutes. The Wright, however, paid no attention whatever to the hail and went down the river.

The Cherokee got away for Memphis with all the freight she could handle on the water.

Mr. R. J. Groeninger, cashier of the Cherokee Packet Co., is sick, but is improving.

The Eagle leaves to-day for White River for a tow of logs. Capt. Sam Schroder is in command.

The Spread Eagle came in on time from Alton with a big trip.

The Kit Carson is still aground at the foot of Pisa.

The Sidney goes back to Keokuk at 4 p. m. to-day. She arrived at noon.

Capt. J. P. Lusk of the Diamond Jo Line arrived from Hannibal this morning.

A telegram from the Libbie Conger this morning says they found 3½ feet all the way up.

River Telegrams.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 26.—River 6 feet and falling. Clear; thermometer 82.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 26.—River, 5 ft. 3 in. Stationary. Clear.

WHEELING, Sept. 26.—River, 2 ft. 2 in.; falling. Clear and warm.

EVANSVILLE, Sept. 26.—River 4 feet 8 inches. Weather very warm.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 26.—River falling, 1 foot 7 inches on falls; 3 feet 11 inches in canal. Clear and hot.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 26.—River, 4 ft. 3 in.; falling. Departed, H. G. Wright to Cairo, 1 p. m. Clear and hot.

CAIRO, Ill., Sept. 26.—River 5 ft. 3 in. and falling. Clear, warm. Arrived: E. M. Norton, St. Louis, 9 a. m. City of Hickman, St. Louis, 10; City of Savannah, Ohio, 11. Departed: City of Vicksburg, Natchez, 2 a. m.; City of Savannah, St. Louis, 11.

THE HOUSEHOLD.

Retail Prices of Sundry Supplies That Cheer the Inner Man.

There is a seasonable supply of vegetables on the stands, and the assortment is one that will tickle the palate of the average vegetarian. Prices are reasonable and about as follows:

String beans, qt.	05	Lima beans, qt	25
Onions, peck	30	Butter beans, qt	20
Beets, peck	25	Gumbo, qt	15
Green peppers, doz.	15	Squash, head	2½
Cauliflower, each	20 @40	Parsley, bunch, 3 for	05
Water melons	10 @25	Rhubarb, bunch, 3 for	05
Cantaloupes	5 @15	Green apples, peck	25
Tomatoes, peck	15	Carrots, bunch	10
Green corn, doz.	15 @20	Cabbage	5 @10
Cucumbers, each	01	New beets, pk	20
Celery, stock	5 @10	Egg plant	5 @10
Potatoes, pk	15	Sweet potatoes (small measure)	10
Chickory, 3 for	10	Green tomatoes, pk	20
Turnips, pk	25	Pickling onions, pk	60 @75
Mushrooms, qt	25	Pumpkins, each	15@ 50
Table apples, pk	40		
Pickling cucumbers, 100	35		
Wax beans, qt	05		

There is still a delicious variety of fruits which are made even more pleasing to the eye by their artistic dispensers. Prices are along like they have been for the past fort night without any notable change:

Bananas, doz.	10@25	Grapes, lb.	5@15
Apples, peck	25	Crab-apples, basket	50@$1
Pears, doz	5@25	Peaches, basket	35
Lemons, doz	25@35	Cala. pears, doz	40
Figs, box	25	Goose-plums, qt	10
Peach plums, doz	15	G'rm'n prunes, bskt	35@75
Rodi oranges, doz	75		

The fish-mongers at the Union Market find trade very fair, and an improvement will come with cooler weather. Prices are unchanged.

Red snapper, lb. 12	@15	Lobsters	20
Buffalo	10	Fresh cod	15
Lake salmon	12½	Catfish	12½
Croppie	12½	Lake trout	12½
Fresh mackerel, each	30	Pickerel	12½
Black bass, lb	15	Pompano, lb	20
California salmon, lb	20	Oysters, qt 30	@40
Blue fish, lb	15	Spanish mackerel, lb	15
		Halibut, lb	20

Meats are having a fair sale, and there is as juicy and as handsome a display at the Union Market as can be seen anywhere in the country.

Spring lambs, qrs	$2 50	Veal roasts	15@25
Porterhouse steak	20	Veal chops	15@25
Sirloin cut	15@20	Lamb chops	15@20
Tenderloin cut	15@20	Lamb steaks	15@20
Rib roasts	35@40	Pork	10
Pork sausages	10	Beef sausages	10

Dairy products are firm, but in continuance of the hot, dry weather will jump up. Elgin creamery butter at 35@40c and other grades in proportion.

Butter, Elgin creamery	30	Best dairy	20
Eggs, dozen	20	Best cream cheese	15
Skimmed cheese	10	Limburger cheese	15
Swiss cheese, lb	30	Comb honey	15@20
American Swiss	20	Strained honey	15

HOTEL PERSONALS.

C. A. Swope, Louisville; J. S. Taylor, Frankfort, Ky.; W. D. Packard, Warren, O.; J. H. Martin, Pittsburg, and L. H. Clagg, New York, are at the Southern.

W. F. Bassett, Plattsburg, Mo.; W. Cooper, Manhattan, Kan.; W. S. Clark, Lincoln, Neb., and H. R. Cushing, Lansing, O., are at the Laclede.

L. C. Fritch, Cincinnati; H. C. Morrison, Atlanta; R. T. Wellir, Greencastle, Ind., and C. B. Myers, Little Rock, are at the Lindell.

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There is no questioning the fact that the Exposition is the most popular resort in St. Louis. Counter attractions, hot weather—nothing can stem the tide of humanity that flows into the building nightly to worship at the shrine of Gilmore. Last evening the Legion of Honor paid their respects to the great leader, and not an inch of vacant space could be found in the Music Hall when the first concert had begun. Every aisle was filled and the crowd overflowed into the foyer and gathered in groups around the doors. The Legion had made every arrangement for the entertainment of their friends. Groups of committeemen met the people at the door, presented them with handsomely engraved souvenirs and badges of the occasion and escorted them to seats in Music Hall. Gilmore and his men seemed thoroughly imbued with the spirit of the occasion and fairly set the audience wild. At the close of the first concert Mr. Thomas J. Morse, the Supreme Chancellor of the Legion of Honor, stepped on the stage and pinned the badge of the order on every member of the band.

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During the second concert, Mrs. Thomas J. Morse, formerly Miss Fanny Flesh, sang a solo, which was rapturously applauded. She responded by giving the sweet old ballad "Bounce Sweet Bessie," at the close of which she was presented with an enormous bouquet of American beauties enclosed in a costly epergne of gold and silver suitably inscribed. The reappearance of Mr. Joseph Saler, the favorite baritone, was the signal for applause and cheers. His voice has lost none of its old-time vigor or sweetness. His rendition of Pinsuti's martial ballad, "I Fear No Foe," took the house by storm. Herr Stockigt's clarionet solo, "The Belle of St. Louis," was deservedly greeted by round after round of applause. Taking it all in all, it was the most successful concert of the season.

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One of Gilmore's most striking characteristics is his ability to gauge the tastes of his audience. He seems to know instinctively what his hearers want. Knowing that his Saturday afternoon audience would be made up largely of rosebuds and school misses he brought out Wilder, De Carlo and Raffayolo. What more could the band offer to satisfy a young girl's heart? In addition to all this he gave the overture to "Zampa," which is the delight of every amatuer pianist. Saturday evening's concert must be arranged to suit every taste. It is pleasing to note that the St. Louis composers, Kunkel, Robyn and Strekelli have a prominent place. Here is the delightful melange that Gilmore has prepared for his auditors to-night.

EVENING FIRST CONCERT, 7 TO 8.

1. Overture—"Maitre Peronilla" .... Offenbach
2. Solonstuck—"May Bells Herald Approaching Spring" .... Eilenberg
3. Grand Selection—"Gems of Ione" .... Petrella
4. Solo for Flute—"Fantaisie Robert" ... Meyerbeer
   Mr. F. Wadsworth.
5. Humoresque—"Danse des Negress," Chas. Kunkel
6. March—"The News" .... Wilcock

SECOND CONCERT, 9 TO 10.

1. Overture, "Semiramide" .... Rossini
2. Song for barytone, "Answer" .... A. G. Robyn
   Mr. Gwillyn Miles, accompanied by the composer.
3. Grand selection, reminiscences of .... Rossini
4. Danza Mexicana, "Media Noche" .... Aviiles
5. Duet, "The Birds That Sang in May" .... Strekelli
   Misses Ella and Mabel Lighter.
6. March, "Confederation" .... Thiele

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Fraternal week will close this evening by a grand reunion of the local Knights of Pythias. Between the first and second concerts the unrivalled Red Cross Division No. 4, Uniformed Rank, K. of P., will give an exhibition of fancy movements on the stage. The vocal part of the programme will be well taken care of. Mr. Gwillyn Miles, the famous Welsh barytone, is down for a number. The gentleman has appeared before and made a decided hit. Misses Ella and Mabel Lightner, who are said to be very clever vocalists, will sing Strekelli's charming duo: "The Birds that Sing in May." The Knights of Pythias are very strong locally, and are expected to turn out in large numbers. The lodges of the order from East St. Louis are expected to come over and help swell the crowd.

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The voting contest conducted by the Daughters of the Confederacy is waxing very warm. All the local belles have set their hearts on carrying off the honor of being the most popular young lady in Missouri and a lively canvass among their male admirers is the result. The young men are responding nobly and cast an enormous vote last night and the evening previous. It is rumored that a number of the male admirers of one of the leaders have banded together and sworn to abjure tobacco and kindred luxuries until the close of the contest in order to devote the proceeds to winning the fight for their candidate. The work of counting the votes was resumed this afternoon and the result of the week's balloting will be made known to-night. It is hinted that some surprising changes will be made on the list.

FELL FROM A WINDOW.

An Orphan Girl at St. Mary's Asylum Injured Seriously.

At 8:15 o'clock this morning, Stacia Maloney, a 13-year-old girl and an inmate of St. Mary's Orphans' Home, Tenth and Biddle streets, fell from the second story front window to the paved yard below. She was washing the window at the time. She was seriously bruised about the head and body. Dr. Reilley, 1311 North Tenth street, was called in and dressed the wounds, but gave no opinion as to the result of the accident.

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William Elliott	Cleveland, O
Minnie Schroder	Cleveland, O
W. J. Steralker	1619 Blair av
Josephine Baumhofer	Washington, Mo
Apollonius Depka	840 S. 8th st
Emilie Svoboda	830 S. 9th st
Chouteau Jonnson	5118 Stockton av
Barbara Duncan	2324 N. 14th st
Osias Chanales	1304 N. 9th st
Letta Pollock	1304 N. 9th st

Serious Accident to Pat Short.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Short were out driving on Lindell boulevard yesterday afternoon, when they were run into and thrown out of their wagonette by a runaway horse and sulky. Mrs. Short escaped with a few slight bruises, but Mr. Short's collar bone was dislocated where it joins the breast bone on the right side. Alex Tufford, the driver of the sulky, had already been thrown out and his head badly cut. The horse and sulky belonged to Louis Bohle, the livery stable man, and Mr. Tufford is foreman of his stable. Both rigs were badly wrecked. Mr. Short will probably be confined to his room a week or more.

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We solicit the orders of merchants only, and can entertain no orders from consumers. Correspondence with country dealers invited.

Our 28-page complete price list of groceries, woodenware, wagons, buggies, sewing machines, etc., will be sent gratuitously to merchants only on application.

Jelly—30-lb pails, 3¼c; 5-lb pails, ⅌ doz, $3.50; tumblers, 65c; B wine glass, 60c; schooner, $2; 2-lb. tins, $1.60.

Lye—Greenwich, $1.25; saponifier, $3.25; Buffalo, $2.90; imperial, $2.25; star, $1.65.

Potash—Babbitt's, $2; Buffalo, $1.50; crescent $1.20.

Macaroni—Domestic, 20 lbs, $1.15; 10 lbs, 60c; imported Marcellini, French, 12c.

Vermicelli—Domestic, 20 lbs, $1.15; 10 lbs, 60c; imported Marcellini, 12½c.

Matches—No. 1, 95c; No. 2, $1.30; parlor No. 2, $1.60.

Nails—Steel, $1.85 rate; wire, $2.30 rate.

Nuts—Tarragona almonds, 16c; Brazil, 6½c; filberts, 9¾c; walnuts, 8¼@15c; pecans, extra large, 15½c; large, 13½c; medium, 12½c; peanuts, fancy Virginia, 5¼c.

Olives—10-oz, ⅌ doz, $2.50; 10-oz, $3.25; 27-oz, $4.25.

Olive Oil—Mottet, pts, ⅌ case, $9; qts, ⅌ case, $8.

Pickles—Pts. 70c; qts, $1.25; ½-gal, $1.90; gal, $2.90; bbls, medium, $4.15; small, $5.15; gherkins, $6.15.

Sauces and Condiments—Wooster, 85c; Lea & Perrin, ½-pts, $2.65; pts, $4.75; qts, $8.50; ½-pts, Red Ring, 60c; pts, $1.45. Durkee's salad dressing, small, $3.50; large, $4.55. Tomato catsup, high-grade, ½-pts, $1.25; pts, $2.10; qts, $3.25.

Teas—Gunpowder, 28@65c; Young Hyson, 20c; English breakfast, 18@45c; Oolong, 17@60c; Imperial, 25@45c; Japan, 10@40c; Royal Mixture, 35c; Hoonan, 35c; He-no, 50c. Write for samples, stating about the price of goods desired.

Vinegar—Extra family, 14c; white wine, 11c imperial, 11c.

Washblue—Dry, No. 1, $2.75; No. 2, $2.50; liquid, 2-oz Buffalo, $3.00; 4-oz, $4.50; 8-oz, $7.00; 16-oz, $11.50.

Washing Powder—Babbitt's 1776, $3.75; pearline, $3.75; soapine, $3.74.

Yeast Cakes—Magic, $1.75; yeast foam, $1.08.

Axle Grease—Frazier's, $3.00; Diamond, $1.50.

Barrel Covers—21-in., $1.75; 19-in., $1.50.

Baskets—Elm market, 35c; open willow market, nested, $3. Clothes—14-in., $5.25; 16-in., $6.25; 18-in., $7.25. Bamboo delivery—No. 1, $3.75; No. 2, $4.50. Lunch—Qt., 55c; 2 qts, 60c; 3 qts., 70c. Fancy, $2.50@4.50.

Blacking—Bixby's No. 1, 23c; No. 3, 38c; No. 4, 45c. Genuine, T. M., small, 50c; med., 95c; large, $1.15. Shoe polish, 90c.

Brooms—Parlor, $2.50; No. 1, $2.25; No. 2, $2; No. 3, $1.50; No. 4, $1.35.

Cordage—Sisal rope, 9½c; cotton twine, 17@22c; No. 1 lampwick, 35c; No. 2, 50c; candlewick, 22c.

Woodenware—Butter trays—No. 1, $1.35; No. 2, $1.55. Butter prints, 75c. Can-openers—Sensible, ⅌ doz, $1; Wheeler's patent, each, 35c. Playing cards, No. 999, 60c. Cheese safes—Round, $1.85; squares, two-story, $3.25. Chopping trays—18-inch, $2.70. Clothespins, 5 gross, 50c. Coffee mills—Wilson's, $3; box, $3.25@7. Feather dusters—10-inch to 16-inch, 25@60c. Cedar faucets, 55c. Molasses gates, 1¼-inch bore, $2; self-measuring, $2.25. Candy jars—1-gal, $1.60; 2-gal, $3. Stepladders, $1.25@2.25. Sugar buckets—Small, $3; medium, $3.60; large, $4; paper pails, $2.25; Star fiber, $4.05; 2-hoop, $1.35; 3-hoop, $1.60; cedar, $4.25@5.75; measures, ½-bu, $2.25; peck, $2. Oil cans—1-gal, each, 21c; 5-gal, each, 44c; 10-gal, each, 72c. Oil tanks—Crescent, 60-gal, No. 1, $2.20; Freeman's scoops, $1.50; Gourley's No. 3, $2.00; No. 4, each, 30c. patent sugar scoops, No. 4, each, 30c. Shot casks—8 compartments, each, $3.50. Stove polish—Buffalo, large, $4.58 ⅌ gross; small, $2.60. Sieves—14 and 16 inches, 90c; Hunter's, $2. Twine

...olders—Hanging, 35c; beehives, 50c. Well buck...ts—Wrought ear, $2.75. Washboards—Pionee... single, $1.30; Buffalo, single, $1.85; double, $2.5... North Star, double, $3.35; cash drawer, $2; bun... hole borers, $7.75; cotton mops, $2.50; funnel, ... sets of five, 50c; fruit augers, $1.25; liquid meas... ure, per set, 80c; mop handles, $1.10; mousetrap... 15c ⅌ doz holes; rollingpins, 90c; tobacco-cutter... 75c@$1.25; toothpicks, ⅌ box, 31½c.
Cigars—Imported, $90@130; Domestic, Stratton... Storm's Bouquets, $65; Smokettes, $35; Grand R... public Cigarros, $35; Mystic Twist, $30; Bonita, $... Ocean Palace, $20; American Beauties, $16; B... of All, $12; Bengal Cheroots, $15.
Tobacco—Golden Thread, fine cut, 64c; "1838,"... 33c; Piper Heidsieck, 58c; Forest Rose Natural Lea... 42c; Climax, 41c; Star, 41c; Horseshoe, 41c; So... thing Good, 38c; Peach Pie, 35c; Quality and Quant... ey, 27c; Little Pork Twist, 24c; Lone Jack, $1.2... Old Judge, 90c; Greenback, 30c; G—Whiz Durha... ¼-lb, 25c; Duke's Mixture, ⅛ and ¼-lb, 30c; Orph... Boy, 28½c; Meerschaum, 29c; Old Style, 20c.

THE ST. LOUIS DRUG MARKET.

Alcohol—⅌ gal., grain, $2.34; wood, $1.40.
Ammonia—⅌ lb, water, 16 per cent, 4c; 20 p... cent, 8c; 26 per cent, 11c; carbonate, 15c; muriat... 15c.
Annatto—Spanish, 45c ⅌ lb.
Annatoine—$1 ⅌ lb.
Antifebrin—25c ⅌ oz.
Antikamnia—$1 ⅌ oz.
Antimony—Black powdered, 5c ⅌ lb.
Antipyrine—Per oz., $1.40.
Arrowroot—American, ⅌ lb, 10c; Bermuda, ⅌ ... 35c.
Arsenic—White, powdered, ⅌ lb, 10c.
Balsam—Copaiba, ⅌ lb, 60c; fir, ⅌ lb, 40c; Pe... ⅌ lb, $2; tolu, ⅌ lb, 50c.
Bay Rum—Domestic, ⅌ gal, $2.25; imported, ... gal, $3.
Beans—Tonka, Angostura, ⅌ lb, $2.25; vanill... Mexican, ⅌ lb, $9.
Berries—Cubeb, stemless, ⅌ lb, $1.00; cube... stemless, powd, ⅌ lb, $1.00; juniper, ⅌ lb, 6c; ju... per, powd, ⅌ lb, 10c.
Bismuth—Sub. carb., ⅌ lb, $2.70; sub. nitra... ⅌ lb, $2.10.
Brimstone—3½c.
Blue Mass—Per lb, 50c.
Blue Vitriol—Per lb, 7c.
Borax—11c.
Calomel—Per lb, 90c; English, ⅌ lb, $1.35.
Cantharides—Russian, ⅌ lb, $1.25; Russia... powdered, ⅌ lb, $1.40.
Chalk—White lump, 2c; French cut, 15c; p... pared drops, 5c ⅌ lb.
Chloral—Hydrate crystals, $1.50 ⅌ lb.
Chinchonidia—Sulph. P. W. oz vials, ⅌ oz, 1...
Cloves—Zanzibar, 15c; do powdered, 20c ⅌ lb.
Corrosive Sublimate—80c ⅌ lb.
Cochineal—Honduras, 40c ⅌ lb.
Cream Tartar—Pure, 30c ⅌ lb.
Cuttlefish Bone—35c ⅌ lb.
Ether—Sulphuric, U. S. P., 65c ⅌ lb.
Extracts—Logwood, assd., 16c; liquorice, 24c ... lb.
Flowers—Arnica, 25c; chamomile, English, 2... do German, 30c per lb.
Gelatine—Cooper's, 70c per lb.
Glycerine—Concentrated, per lb, 20c.
Gum Aloes—Cape, per lb, 10c; socatrine per ... 50c.
Gum Arabic—First picked, per lb, $1 picke... 85c; powdered, $1 per lb.

COMMERCIAL.

Regular Cash Market Price—11:30 Call.

	To-day.	Yesterday.	Year ag...
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red	93¼@93½	94½	96¼@97...
No. 3 red	88 @88¼	88¼@89¼*	94 @94...
No. 4	82½@83* b	83	....
CORN.			
No. 2	51@50¾*	50@50¼	47½@48
No. 2 white	56	56	48
No. 3	49	49	46½* b
OATS.			
No. 2	27½@28	28½@28½	37½ b
No. 2 white	29¼	29½@30	41
No. 3	27	27	36½

*East side.

Future Prices.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day...
WHEAT.				
Sept.	94½ n	94	93⅝	94 n
Oct.	94½			94¼ n
Dec.	97½ b	97¾	96¾	97⅛ b
May	104⅜ a	104⅜	103⅝	104
CORN.				
Sept.	51 a	50¾	50¾	50¾
Oct.	47½ b	47½	47½	47½
Year	38¾	38¾@⅞	38¾	38¾ a
Jan.	38 a			37½ b
May	39¾ a	39¾	39⅝	39¾ b
OATS.				
Sept.	28½			27½ n
Oct.	27½ b	27¼	27⅛	27¼
May	31 b	31	31	30⅝ b

CHICAGO—Reported by Gaylord, Blessing & ... 307 Olive street

WHEAT.				
Dec.	97⅛	97⅝	97	97¾
CORN.				
Oct.	49⅞	50¼	49⅞	50
OATS.				
Oct.	27	27⅛	26⅞	27
PORK.				
Oct.	9.82½	9.82	9.72	9.82
LARD.				
Oct.	6.60	6.67	6.57	6.57½
SHORT RIBS.				
Oct.	6.70	6.70	6.65	6.70

CHICAGO—Wheat—Sept., 94c n; Dec., 97... year, —; May, $1.04 b. Corn—Sept., 50... Oct., 50c; year, 43¼c; May, 42@42½c b. Oa... Sept., 26⅝c; Oct., 27c. Pork—Jan., $12... Oct., $9.82. Lard—Jan., 6.80c; Oct., 6.57½c. Sh... ribs—Oct., 6.70c; Jan., 6.42@6.45c.
Flaxseed—Cash, 90c; Oct., 90c; Dec., 9... May, $1.00. Timothy seed—Sept., —; Oct., ... Dec., —; March, —.
NEW YORK—Wheat—Sept., $1.02⅞ n; Oct. $1.0... a; Nov., $1.05⅛ n; Dec., $1.06⅞ c; May, $1.12.1... Corn—Sept., 60⅝c b; Oct., 59c b; Dec., 5... May, 51c n. Oats—32⅝c n; Oct., 32⅞c.
TOLEDO—Wheat—Cash, 97c; Sept., 97½c; D... $1.00½ b; May, $1.07.

Grain Inspections.

	Into Elevators. Sacks.	Into Elevators. Cars.	Out of Elevators. Cars.	Out of Elevators. Bush...
WHEAT.				
No. 2 red winter	3,696	63	17	
No. 3 red winter	1,453	54	45	
No. 4 winter	479	20	19	
Rejected winter	600	19	14	
No grade winter	556	6	4	
No. 2 hard winter	......	4	......	
No. 3 hard winter	......	4	3	
No. 4 hard winter	......	2	3	
No. 2 white winter	34	......	......	
No. 2 Med.	......	2	......	
No. 3 hard spring	......	1	1	
Weevily	......	3	......	
Total	6,818	178	106	
CORN.				
No. 2	......	11	1	
No. 3	......	2	......	
No. 4	......	1	......	
No. 2 white	35	5	2	
No. 3 white	......	......	3	
Total	35	19	6	
OATS.				
No. 2	......	9	21	
No. 3	......	4	2	
No. 2 white	......	3	3	
No. 3 white	......	16	7	
No. 4 white	......	1	......	
No. 2 color	......	2	3	
No. 3 color	......	5	1	
No grade	......	1	......	
Total	......	41	37	
RYE.				
No. 2	......	10	......	
No. 3	......	1	2	
No. 4	......	......	1	
Total	......	11	3	
Grand total	6,853	249	153	

Receipts and Shipments

Of leading articles at St. Louis for the twenty-... hours ending Saturday, Sept. 26, 1891, and co... sponding day in 1890, as reported by the Mercha... Exchange:

Articles.	Receipts by River and Rail. 1891.	1890.	Shipments by River and Ra... 1891.	189...
Flour, bbls	4,865	3,297	13,515	16...
Wheat, bu	177,006	32,288	35,212	
Corn, bu	40,825	19,015	13,124	2...
Oats, bu	67,140	44,975	34,360	
Rye, bu	11,577		10,925	
Barley, bu	10,435	31,263	1,048	
Bran, ship-stuffs, sks	1,105	157	2,682	
Do. in bulk, cars	6	3	3	
Corn meal, bbls	....	250	2,182	1...
Cotton, bls, local	462	386	760	
Cotton, bls, through	780	345		
Hay, tons	342	455	118	
Pork, bbls	....		47	
Hams, lbs	....	427	119,112	10...
Meats, lbs	838,400	710,340	630,512	1 37...
Lard, lbs	1,185	173,960	164,404	407
Cattle, hd	646	810	316	
Hogs, head	966	1,003	2,372	
Sheep, hd	2	822	573	
Horses and mules, hd	135	274	96	

Future Sales To-Day.

Wheat—Sept.—10 at 93⅞c, 5 at 94c. Dec.—... 96⅞c, 40 at 96¾c, 160 at 96⅞c, ... 96⅞@97c, 190 at 97c, 30 at 97⅛c, 265 at... 30 at 97⅛c, 120 at 97¼c, 165 at 97⅛c, 10 at... 97¼c, 90 at 97⅛c, 85 at 97⅞c. May—25 at $1.03... at $1.03⅜, 35 at $1.04, 5 at $1.04½.
Corn—Sept.—5 at 50¾c. Oct.—10 at 4...

Holders—Hanging, 35c; beehives, 50c. Well buckets—Wrought ear, $2.75. Washboards—Pioneer single, $1.30; Buffalo, single, $1.85; double, $2.50; North Star, double, $3.35; cash drawer, $2; bunghole borers, $7.75; cotton mops, $2.50; funnel, tin, sets of five, 50c; fruit augers, $1.25; liquid measure, per set, 80c; mop handles, $1.10; mousetraps, 15c ⅌ doz holes; rollingpins, 90c; tobacco-cutters, 75c@$1.25; toothpicks, ⅌ box, 3½c.

Cigars—Imported, $90@130; Domestic, Stratton & Storm's Bouquets, $65; Smokettes, $35; Grand Republic Cigarros, $35; Mystic Twist, $30; Bonita, $25; Ocean Palace, $20; American Beauties, $16; Best of All, $12; Bengal Cheroots, $15.

Tobacco—Golden Thread, fine cut, 64c; "1838," 33c; Piper Heidsieck, 58c; Forest Rose Natural Leaf, 42c; Climax, 41c; Star, 41c; Horseshoe, 41c; Something Good, 38c; Peach Pie, 35c; Quality and Quantity, 22c; Little Pork Twist, 24c; Lone Jack, $1.20; Old Judge, 90c; Greenback, 30c; G— Whiz Durham, ¼-lb, 25c; Duke's Mixture, ⅛ and ¼-lb, 30c; Orphan Boy, 28½c; Meerschaum, 29c; Old Style, 20c.

THE ST. LOUIS DRUG MARKET.

Alcohol—⅌ gal., grain, $2.34; wood, $1.40.
Ammonia—⅌ lb, water, 16 per cent, 4c; 20 per cent, 8c; 26 per cent, 11c; carbonate, 15c; muriate, 15c.
Annatto—Spanish, 45c ⅌ lb.
Annatoine—$1 ⅌ lb.
Antifebrin—25c ⅌ oz.
Antikamnia—$1 ⅌ oz.
Antimony—Black powdered, 5c ⅌ lb.
Antipyrine—Per oz., $1.40.
Arrowroot—American, ⅌ lb, 10c; Bermuda, ⅌ lb, 35c.
Arsenic—White, powdered, ⅌ lb, 10c.
Balsam—Copaiba, ⅌ lb, 60c; fir, ⅌ lb, 40c; Peru, ⅌ lb, $2; tolu, ⅌ lb, 50c.
Bay Rum—Domestic, ⅌ gal, $2.25; imported, ⅌ gal, $3.
Beans—Tonka, Angostura, ⅌ lb, $2.25; vanilla, Mexican, ⅌ lb, $9.
Berries—Cubeb, stemless, ⅌ lb, $1.00; cubeb, stemless, powd, ⅌ lb, $1.00; juniper, ⅌ lb, 6c; juniper, powd, ⅌ lb, 10c.
Bismuth—Sub. carb., ⅌ lb, $2.70; sub. nitrate, ⅌ lb, $2.10.
Brimstone—3½c.
Blue Mass—Per lb, 50c.
Blue Vitriol—Per lb, 7c.
Borax—11c.
Calomel—Per lb, 90c; English, ⅌ lb, $1.35.
Cantharides—Russian, ⅌ lb, $1.25; Russian, powdered, ⅌ lb, $1.40.
Chalk—White lump, 2c; French cut, 15c; prepared drops, 5c ⅌ lb.
Chloral—Hydrate crystals, $1.50 ⅌ lb.
Chinchonida—Sulph. P. W. oz vials, ⅌ oz, 14c.
Cloves—Zanzibar, 15c; do powdered, 20c ⅌ lb.
Corrosive Sublimate—80c ⅌ lb.
Cochineal—Honduras, 40c ⅌ lb.
Cream Tartar—Pure, 30c ⅌ lb.
Cuttlefish Bone—35c ⅌ lb.
Ether—Sulphuric, U. S. P., 65c ⅌ lb.
Extracts—Logwood, assd., 16c; liquorice, 24c per lb.
Flowers—Arnica, 25c; chamomile, English, 25c; do German, 30c per lb.
Gelatine—Cooper's, 70c per lb.
Glycerine—Concentrated, per lb, 20c.
Gum Aloes—Cape, per lb, 10c; socatrine per lb, 50c.
Gum Arabic—First picked, per lb, $1 picked, 85c; powdered, $1 per lb.

COMMERCIAL.

Regular Cash Market Price—11:30 Call.

	To-day.	Yesterday.	Year ago.
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red	93½@93¼	94⅛	95½@97½
No. 3 red	88 @88¾*	88¾@89¼*	94 @94½*
No. 4	82½@83* b	83	....
CORN.			
No. 2	51@50¼*	50@50¼	47½@48
No. 2 white	56	56	48
No. 3	49	49	46½* b
OATS.			
No. 2	27½@28	28¼@28½	37½ b
No. 2 white	29½	29½@30	41
No. 3	27	27	36¼

*East side.

Future Prices.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
Sept.	94⅛ n	94	93⅝	94 n
Oct.	94⅛			94⅛ n
Dec.	97⅛ b	97⅝	96⅝	97⅛ b
May	104⅝ a	104¼	103⅝	104
CORN				
Sept.	51 a	50¾	50¾	50¾
Oct	47½ b	47⅛	47⅛	47⅛ a
Year	38⅝	38⅝@⅜	38⅛	38⅝ a
Jan	38 a	....	....	37⅞ n
May	39⅛ a	39⅛	39⅛	39⅛ b
OATS.				
Sept.	28½	....	....	27½ n
Oct.	27½ b	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛
May	31 b	31	31	30⅝ b

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WHEAT.				
Dec.	97⅛	97⅝	97	97⅛
CORN.				
Oct.	49⅝	50⅛	49⅝	50
OATS.				
Oct.	27	27⅛	26⅝	27
PORK.				
Oct.	9.82½	9.82	9.72	9.82
LARD.				
Oct.	6.60	6.67	6.57	6.57½
SHORT RIBS.				
Oct.	6.70	6.70	6.65	6.70

CHICAGO—Wheat—Sept., 94c n; Dec., 97⅛c; year, —; May, $1.04 b. Corn—Sept., 50⅛c; Oct., 50c; year, 43⅛c; May, 42@42⅛c b. Oats—Sept., 26⅝c; Oct., 27c. Pork—Jan., $12.37; Oct., $9.82. Lard—Jan., 6.80c; Oct., 6.57½c. Short ribs—Oct., 6.70c; Jan., 6.42@6.45c.
Flaxseed—Cash, 90c; Oct., 90c; Dec., 92½c; May, $1.00. Timothy seed—Sept., —; Oct., —; Dec., —; March, —.
NEW YORK—Wheat—Sept., $1.02⅞ n; Oct. $1.03⅜ a; Nov., $1.05⅛ n; Dec., $1.06⅝ c; May, $1.12⅛ b. Corn—Sept., 60⅜c b; Oct., 59c b; Dec., 54⅛c; May, 51c n. Oats—32⅛c n; Oct., 32⅛c.
TOLEDO—Wheat—Cash, 97c; Sept., 97½c; Dec., $1.00½ b; May, $1.07.

Grain Inspections.

	Into Elevators. Sacks.	Cars.	Out of Elevators. Cars.	Bushels.
WHEAT.				
No. 2 red winter	3,696	63	17	......
No. 3 red winter	1,453	54	45	......
No. 4 winter	479	20	19	......
Rejected winter	600	19	14	......
No grade winter	556	6	4	......
No. 2 hard winter	......	4	......	......
No. 3 hard winter	......	4	3	......
No. 4 hard winter	......	2	3	......
No. 2 white winter	34	......	......	......
No. 2 Med.	......	2	......	......
No. 3 hard spring	......	1	1	......
Weevily	......	3	......	......
Total	6,818	178	106	......
CORN.				
No. 2	......	11	1	......
No. 3	......	2	......	......
No. 4	......	1	......	......
No. 2 white	35	5	2	......
No. 3 white	......	......	3	......
Total	35	19	6	......
OATS.				
No. 2	......	9	21	......
No. 3	......	4	2	......
No. 2 white	......	3	3	......
No. 3 white	......	16	7	......
No. 4 white	......	1	......	......
No. 2 color	......	2	3	......
No. 3 color	......	5	1	......
No grade	......	1	......	......
Total	......	41	37	......
RYE.				
No. 2	......	10	......	......
No. 3	......	1	2	......
No. 4	......	......	1	......
Total	......	11	3	......
Grand total	6,853	249	153	......

Receipts and Shipments

Of leading articles at St. Louis for the twenty-four hours ending Saturday, Sept. 26, 1891, and corresponding day in 1890, as reported by the Merchants' Exchange:

ARTICLES.	Receipts by River and Rail. 1891.	1890.	Shipments by River and Rail. 1891.	1890.
Flour, bbls.	4,865	3,297	13,515	16,132
Wheat, bu.	177,006	32,288	35,212	1,649
Corn, bu.	40,825	19,015	13,124	21,538
Oats, bu.	67,140	44,975	34,560	54,346
Rye, bu	11,577	....	10,925	572
Barley, bu.	10,435	31,263	1,048	1,546
Bran, ship-stuffs, sks	1,105	157	2,682	4,487
Do. in bulk, cars	6	3	3	2
Corn meal, bbls	....	250	2,182	1,208
Cotton, bls, local	462	386	760	478
Cotton, bls, through	780	215		
Hay, tons	342	455	118	132
Pork, bbls.			47	125
Hams, lbs.		427	119,112	10,247
Meats, lbs.	638,400	710,340	630,912	1,373,562
Lard, lbs.	1,185	173,960	164,404	407,729
Cattle, hd	648	410	510	861
Hogs, head	956	1,603	2,372	
Sheep, he'd	2	822	573	780
Horses and mules, hd	135	274	96	181

Future Sales To-Day.

Wheat—Sept.—10 at 93¾c, 5 at 94c. Dec.—25 at 96⅞c, 40 at 96⅞@97c, 160 at 96⅞c, 40 at 96⅞@97c, 190 at 97c, 30 at 97⅛c, 265 at 97⅛, 30 at 97⅛@¼c, 120 at 97⅛c, 165 at 97⅛c, 10 at 97⅛@¼c, 90 at 97⅛c, 85 at 97⅛c. May—25 at $1.03⅞, 5 at $1.03¾, 35 at $1.04, 5 at $1.04⅛. Corn—Sept.—5 at 50⅛c. Oct.—10 at 47½c. Year—5 at 38⅛c, 5 at 38⅛c, 10 at 38⅛@¼c. May—5 at 39⅛c, 5 at 39⅛c, 20 at 39⅛@¼c, 40 at 39⅛c. Oats—Oct.—5 at 27⅛c, 5 at 27⅛c. May—10 at 31c.

Stock of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	To-day.	Yesterday	Sep 26, '90
Wheat, bu	2,194,396	2,157,140	2,726,813
Corn, bu	110,631	101,182	230,801
Oats, bu	208,749	925,305	263,463
Rye, bu	11,900	13,959	15,248
Barley, bu	20,101	18,271	3,898
No. 2 red win. wheat	1,210,103	1,174,460	2,168,548
No. 2 corn	58,797	46,928	140,628
No. 2 white corn	30,901	36,119	129,770
No. 2 oats	43,606	36,953	88,491
No. 2 rye	3,841	5,056	8,606

Movement of Wheat and Corn To-Day.

	Receipts. Wheat.	Corn.	Shipments. Wheat.	Corn.
St. Louis	177,006	48,825	35,212	13,124
Chicago	151,844	170,911	219,717	333,146
Toledo	40,620	2,504	2,500	4,750
Detroit	20,050	89	24,605	8,718
Milwaukee	58,550	1,740	6,600	......
Minneapolis	244,610	......	69,780	......
Duluth	340,235	......	497,988	......
New York	246,835	264,725	94,837	128,858
Baltimore	26,589	1,011	238,500	......
Philadel'hia	47,589	12,771	6,594	1,306

SHIPMENTS OF FLOUR—St. Louis, 13,515 bbls; Chicago, 13,411 bbls; Detroit, 950 bbls; Milwaukee, 5,711 bbls; Minneapolis, 30,139 bbls; Duluth, 11,359 bbls; New York, 622 bbls, 16,526 sks; Baltimore, — bbls.

ON 'CHANGE.

Grain.

Wheat—A small rally of ⅛c at the opening was followed by ⅛c decline and that late by another reaction of ⅛c and the close was ⅛c lower for Dec. and ⅛c for May, as compared with yesterday. The early show of firmness was due more to the fact that other markets were higher, though the knowledge that no rain had as yet fallen east of Kansas, and the weather dry and hot through the main winter wheat section, and that Minneapolis and Duluth receipts of 776 cars were less than expected, had something to do with the strength. Little demand was drawn out, however, locally, and there was more desire shown to sell than buy, the feeling being bearish on the belief that rains would shortly fall where most needed, and on the continued liberal receipts at this point. Foreign advices were not favorable, outside 1½c advance in Chilian cargoes at London, the English market being reported quiet or dull, Liverpool ½c off and Berlin said to be lower. New York became very weak and sent out bearish intelligence, the exports from both coasts were 2,400,000 bu less than the week before, from Atlantic ports much smaller also for the week, and the day's clearances only 23,600 pkgs flour and 378,000 bu wheat. All this tended to induce selling and was increased when it was learned a cargo bought here for France had been resold. Other depressing factors were the unfavorable bank statement, the prospect for a large increase in the visible and in withal there was enough to bring about very bearish conditions. Some war-like news came in pretty late, checked the selling and turned the market up, closing it fairly firm.

FUTURES—Sept. sold at 94c to 93¾c. Dec. opened at 97⅛c and sold to 97c to 97⅛@¼c to 96⅞c to 97⅛@¼c to 97c to 97⅛c to 97⅛c and at close 97⅛c bid. May sold at $1.04 off to $1.03⅞ and back to $1.04⅛, closing at $1.04.

SPOT GRADES—Lower. No. 2 red declined ⅛c, regular selling at 93¾c to 93½c, closing at the bottom rate. There was fair milling buying of No. 3 red at ½c decline—88½c in D., St. L. and Cdlt, 88½@88¾ in C.; regular ½c lower at 88c and E. side 1c off, at 86½c. No. 4 offered regular at 83½c, bid 82½c for St. L., 83c for E. Rejected sold 1½c lower, at 69½c E. side. No. 2 hard winter was ½c off, at 86½c, but No. 2 do E. side steady at 81½c, though offered in St. L. and C. at 81c. No. 4 do offered in St. L. at 73½c, bid 70c.

Sales: No. 2 red—12 cars in Cdlt. and 25 regular at 93½c, 34 cars and 4,800 bu regular at 93½c. No. 3 red—11 cars regular at 88c, 4 in C. at 88½c, 2 in D., 5 in C., 6 in St. L. and 11 in Cdlt at 88½c, 1 in D. and 6 E. side at 88½c. Rejected—2 cars E. side at 69½c. No. 2 hard winter—1 car regular and 2 in St. L. at 86½c. No. 3 hard winter—4 cars E. side at 81½c.

SAMPLES—Receipts, 9,236 sks and 235 cars. Very dull, weak and about 1c lower all round. The low grade and particularly No. 3 hard and rejected hard, difficult to sell at anything like a fair value. Sales: Special bin—1 car no grade at 60c, 2 cars rejected hard and 1 rejected at 70c, 3 rejected at 72c, 1 No. 4 hard at 73½c, 2 No. 4 hard at 75c, 5 rejected at 75c, 2 do at 75½c, 7 rejected at 78c, 4 do at 80c, 10 do at 81c, 2 do at 82c, 2 do at 82½c, 7 No. 4 winter at 84c, 1 do at 84½c, 4 do at 85c, 1 do at 86c, 3 No. 3 red at 88½c, 1 do at 89c, 5 do at 90c. Track this side—1 car rejected at 80c, 1 do at 82c, 1 do at 85c, 2 No. 3 red at 91c. Trk East Side—1 car No. 4 winter at 86c, 1 No. 2 red at 94c. Sacks—17 rejected on grade at 69½c, 170 at 81c, 70 at 84c, 7 at 85c, 33, 77 and 125 at 87c, 55 and 104 at 89c, 12, 19 and 21 at 90c, 64 and 51 at 91c, 490 at 91½c, 16, 40, 70, 45, 106 and 45 at 93½c, 70 at 94c.

Corn—It was the old story of no outside business and local interest indifferent, the result an almost dead speculative market. The course of prices was chiefly dictated by the decline in wheat, all other markets weak, including Liverpool, but late rallied some on the war news and closed close up to yesterday's latest rates.

FUTURES—Sept. sold at 50¾c and Oct. at 47⅛c, with more of latter offered at that rate. Year sold at 38⅛c to 38⅛@¼c, and at close offered at 38⅛c. May sold at 39⅛c, off to 39⅛c and back to 39⅛c, closing with latter bid.

SPOT GRADES—Buying by shorts advanced No. 2 to 51c, but weakened later to 50¾c. No. 2 white steady at 56c this side and offered regular at that. No. 3 white offered E. side at 56c and 54c bid this side. No. 3 steady at 49c this side, but regular offered at 48½c.

Sales: No. 2—3 cars regular at 50¾c, 2 in M. at 50¾c, 1 in M. and 10 regular at 51c. No. 3—1 car in M. and 1 in C. at 49c. No. 2 white—2 cars this side at 56c.

SAMPLES—Sales 11 and 24 sks St. Charles at 58c. Skd lots on orders at 58@60c.

Oats—The future market was dull and weak. Oct. sold at 27½c to 27¼c and May at 31c, but latter offered afterward at 30¾c and 30½c the best bid.

SPOT GRADES—Lower. A 5,000 bu lot No. 2 sold regular at 27½c, and for E. side and Cdlt 27½c bid. No. 3 offered regular at 26½c, and for M. 26c bid.

SAMPLES—Lower with a light movement at the decline. Local dealers were the only buyers, none being wanted for shipment. No. 2 sold at 28c, No. 3 at 27c, No. 2 white at 29½c and No. 3 white at 27½@28c, the bulk of the sales of the latter at 27½c; No. 3 color sold in a small way at 27½c and No. 4 white at 27c. Sales: Special bin, this side—3 cars No. 3 and 2 No. 4 white at 27c, 8 No. 3 white and 1 No. 3 color at 27½c, 2 No. 3 white at 27½c, 2 No. 2 and 5 No. 3 white at 28c, 1 No. 2 at 28½c, 1 No. 2 white at 29½c. Sacked lots on orders, 32@35c.

Rye—Quiet. Sales by sample were 24 sks at 72c and 6 at 76c. By grade, No. 2 offered at 82½c, bid 81½c; No. 3 at 74½, bid 72½c.

Barley—Nothing was done. The weather keeps too warm and buyers are holding off.

Flour and Feed.

Flour—The market was almost lifeless. Orders few and little disposition to buy. Values weak, but unchanged. Sales: In sacks—210 sks at $3.25, 1 car at $4.10 del, 210 sks on p.t. In barrels—50 bbls at $3.95, 300 at $4.30 del, 100 at $4.60 del, 750 on p.t. The quotations are:

Patents	$4 55@4 65
Extra fancy	4 25@4 35
Fancy	4 00@4 10
Choice	3 60@3 80
Family	3 40@3 50

These prices are for car lots at depot or on levee. On orders for shipment, higher, according to grade and brand.

Rye Flour—Pure jobbing at $4.75@4.85 ⅌ bbl.
Buckwheat Flour—New jobbing at $7 ⅌ bbl.
Cornmeal—City meal selling on orders at $2.90@2.95 ⅌ bbl delivered. Hominy, pearl meal and grits at $3.50@3.60.
Bran—A small Eastern demand and some few Southern orders here. Market dull and weak. Sales: Country points—2 cars bulk at 52½c. Mill track—1 car skd at 58c, 1 do at 58½c. East track—2 cars skd at 58c, 2 do at 59c, 2 do at 59½c, 1 bulk at 55c. Direct orders—1 car skd f. o. b. this side at 60c, 5 E. tk at 61½c, 2 ships E tk at $1.06.

Hay.

Receipts, 342 tons. The dullness that has been noticed all week was the main feature in the market to-day. Stocks are extraordinarily large and the demand is not even near equal to the daily receipts. Buyers are particular in their selections, confining their purchases to the best grades, and generally buying them at their own figures. Sales: This side—Mixed, 2 cars at $7, 1 do at $7.50, 5 do poor color at $8, 1 at $8.50. Timothy—2 prime at $9, 2 choice at $10, 2 strictly do at $10.50, 1 do at $10.75, 1 fancy at $11, 3 strictly do at $11.50, 1 gilt edge at $12. Prairie—1 car at $6.50, 1 at $7, 2 at $7.50. East side—1 car choice timothy at $9.50.
Straw—1 car wheat East side at $4.

Provisions.

The market exhibited its usual Saturday quietude. Early in the day the depression exhibited by grain and outside markets had a repressive effect, but this was followed by a firmer feeling. A better inquiry also developed for dry salt ribs, but the higher prices asked prevented operations. Bacon could be bought packed at 7.85@7⅞c for ribs and 8c for shorts.

Pork—Standard mess at $10.75; on orders $11.25@11.55, and for selections $12.00, according to brand.
Lard—Prime steam, 6.60c this and 6.65c E. side; jobbing, 8c for fancy and 7½c for seconds.
Dry Salt Meats—Loose cured f. o. b. on cash orders—Shoulders at 5½c; longs and c'ribs, 7.05@7.10; shorts at 7.20@7.2½; boxed shoulders, 6c; longs, 7@7.10c; c'ribs at 7.15@7.20c; shorts at 7.30@7.35c. On orders—Box shoulders, 6½c; longs, 7½c; ribs, 7¾c; shorts, 8c.
Bacon—Packed shoulders at 6½@6¾c; longs at 7⅞@8c; c'ribs at 7.90@8c; shorts at 8½c. On orders—Shoulders, 7c; longs, 8½c; c'ribs, 8½c; short clear, 8¾c.
Country Bacon—Sides, 7½c, latter for fancy.
Green Hams—From the block, 7½c; bellies, 8@8½c.
Hams—Sugar-cured, 11@13½c, as in size and brand; on orders, 12@14c.
Breakfast Bacon—Sold at 10½@12½c ⅌ lb.
Beef—Mess, $9@10, and rolled, $10.50 ⅌ bbl. Dried, 10@11c, and selected 12c ⅌ lb. Smoked beef tongue, $4.50 ⅌ doz.
Highwines—Steady at $1.18 in St. Louis, Chicago, Cincinnati and Peoria.

Lead and Spelter.

Lead—Firm. Sale: 100 tons at 4.35c.
Spelter—Ranges from 4.60c to 4.70c.

Commercial Board.

Wheat—Sales: Dec.—10 at 97½c, 10 at 97⅝c, 20 at 97½c, closing at 97½c.
Chicago—Dec. wheat 97⅝c.

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ON THE STREET.

[The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise stated. Orders are filled with choice goods and are charged higher.]

Fruits.

Apples—Received, 480 bbls. There is a scarcity of choice large and good colored fruit suitable for shipping, and also of fancy eating varieties. Arrivals have fallen off greatly, as the poor fall fruit has about all been marketed and it is early for winter varieties. The hot weather is having a damaging effect on the arrivals, causing all fruit to rot quickly, and therefore more than ordinary care should be given to packing and handling at present. Fruit in any way out of condition, small, wormy, speckled or otherwise inferior is meeting with slow sale. Sales range at 50c@$1 per bbl for damaged and inferior, $1.25@1.50 for good to choice, and at $1.75@2 for fancy; strictly fancy will bring a little more. Sales: 7 bbls Spy at $1.50, 36 slack Ben Davis at $1.60, 12 Roman Beauty and Ben Davis at $1.75, 59 Ben Davis at $1.76½, 10 Pippin at $2, 75 fancy varieties at $2.25. On track—1 car Roman Beauty, Ben Davis and Jonathan at $1.50 ⅌ bbl.

Peaches—Fair deliveries of home-grown for which there was an urgent demand. Condition was generally good, and choice offerings sold readily at $1@3.50, while fancy sold as high as $4@4.50 per bu. Consigned near-by fruit was salable at 40@75c per ⅓-bu box, according to condition. Several cars of New York peaches are due, which no doubt will meet a satisfactory market, provided the condition is good.

Pears—Light offerings and a good demand for desirable stock, such as are large and ripe, for table use. The range was 75c@$2.50 per bu, according to condition.

Grapes—The market developed a somewhat better tone. Offerings of consigned were light, and there was a good local as well as shipping demand. Concords sold at 19@20c ⅌ 9-lb basket and 2c ⅌ lb. Salems, 20c, and Delawares 30c ⅌ 9-lb basket; Ives, 17@18c ⅌ 9-lb basket; Elviras 2c and Virginia Seedling 2½c ⅌ lb. Home-grown Concords, 2@2½c ⅌ lb.

Quinces—Fair sale for the offerings at $1@1.50 per bu.

California Fruit—Condition of offerings good. Demand light, owing to the large amount of home-grown fruit on the market.

Bartlett pears, 40-lb boxes	$3 00
Beure Hardy pears, 40-lb boxes	2 00@2 25
Beure Clergeau pears, 40-lb boxes	2 00@2 25
Beure Anjou pears, 50-lb boxes	2 00@2 25
Duchess pears, 20-lb boxes	2 00@2 25
Onondago pears, 20-lb boxes	2 00@2 25
Gross prunes, 20-lb crate	1 50@1 75
Silver plums, ⅌ 20-lb crate	1 00@1 25
Muscat grapes	1 50@1 75
Tokay, 20-lb box	1 75@2 00

Oranges—Light offerings, good demand and market firm.

Sorrento, Imperial and 200-size	$5 25@5 50
Mexican	4 50
Jamaica, ⅌ bbl	9 00
Jamaica, ⅌ box	5 00

Lemons—Market firm. Sales range:

Messina and Palermo, good, ⅌ bx	$5 50@6 00
Choice to fancy, ⅌ bx	6 00@6 50
Maiori, ⅌ case	7 00@7 50

Bananas—Fancy bunches are billed out on order at $2.00@2.25 and choice a $1.50@1.75.
Cocoanuts—On orders, $4.00 ⅌ 100, $37.50 ⅌ 1,000.
Figs—Fancy layers sell at 17c, choice at 13@14c ⅌ lb, choice sacked figs at 6c.
Dates—Persian, Halloween in boxes, sell at 5½c; Siar at 4½c ⅌ lb; Fard. 50-lb boxes, 8c; 10-lb boxes, 10c.
Cranberries—Supply increasing and market weak. Cape Cod jobbing from store at $7.50@8.00 per bbl and at $2.65@2.75 per bu box; Wisconsin bell and bugle at $7.50@8.00 per bbl.
Dried Fruit—Higher for sun-dried apples, but unchanged for other kinds. Offerings are falling off some and keep well sold up at full prices, as follows:

Apples, cores and peelings	½@ ¾
Chopped	1¼
Sundried quarters	3¼@ 3½
Evaporated quarters and sliced	3¾@ 4½
Evaporated rings, dark and fancy bright	4 @ 5½
Peaches, sundried and unpealed	1½@ 1¾
Evaporated unpealed	2 @ 3
Evaporated peeled	6 @ 8
Raspberries, evaporated	15
Blackberries	3½

Melons.

Watermelons—Light offerings with a fair demand for selections of near by and Northern stock. Sales ranged $8@12 for small and $18 for large in shipping order.
Cantaloupes—Fair demand for the light offerings at 60@75c ⅌ box.

Vegetables.

Potatoes—Received, 3,300 bu. There was a fair demand for choice stock, and as offerings were light a firm feeling prevailed. Choice straight varieties quotable at 35@40c per bu, mixed at 30@32½c. Poor and damaged dull at 25@30c. Sale: 1 car bulk Michigan Rose and Hebron at 40c per bu del.
Onions—Received, 2,050 bu. Most of the stock is arriving in bad order, as it is subject to quick decay under the influence of warm weather. Damaged and very poor are selling at 40@50c per bu. There is a scarcity of choice stock and such was quotable firm at 68@70c per bu and at $1.75@1.80 per bbl. Sales: 37 sks on levee at 50c, 1 car skd Iowa at 70c del.
Pickling Onions—Fair demand for the offering at $1.50 for large and $2 per bu for small.
Cabbage—Northern arriving in fair quantities, and when in good condition sells at 7@8 ⅌ ton; if in a heated condition $5@5.50 ⅌ ton is the best price obtainable. Home-grow in fair request from the order trade at $1 for green and $1.50 for red in shipping order. Car lots less.
Tomatoes—Light offerings with a fair demand for desirable stock at 60@80c ⅌ bu on orders.
Beets—Demand fair, with offerings fully ample. Quotable in shipping order, $1.50 ⅌ bbl.
Cauliflower—Arrivals generally in a heated condition. Choice fair sale at 75c@$2 per doz, according to condition.
Carrots—Fair demand at $1.65 ⅌ bbl.
Celery—Condition of offerings fair, demand good for choice stock. Average sales at 15@60c ⅌ doz., according to condition.
Bell Peppers—Fair demand at 50@75c ⅌ bu.
Sweet Potatoes—Good demand. Choice home-grown on orders—Bermuda, $1.10 ⅌ box and $2 ⅌ bbl; red nansemond, $3 ⅌ bbl. No sale for consigned lots.
Cucumbers—On orders, choice home-grown at 75c ⅌ bu box and 25c ⅌ doz.
Horseradish—For selected stock there was a fair demand at $5@5.50 per bbl of 100 lbs net weight.
Egg Plant—Choice home-grown on orders at 75c ⅌ doz.
Parsnips—Fair demand at $2.25@2.50 ⅌ bbl on orders.
Squash—Home-grown on orders, 35c ⅌ doz.
String Beans—Fair demand at 75c ⅌ bu on orders.
Oyster Plant—On orders, 30c ⅌ doz.
Turnips—On orders at $2 ⅌ bbl.
Green Corn—Selling at 10@12½c ⅌ doz in shipping orders.
Sauerkraut—On orders, new city make at $3 ⅌ bbl and $1.75 ⅌ half bbl. Extra brands of hand-made, 50c ⅌ bbl higher.

Butter and Cheese.

Butter—Received, 32,463 lbs. We note a steady, but quiet market. While the warm weather we have had of late has caused some falling off in the consumption, it has at the same time caused quite a shrinkage in the make, and with more seasonable weather the market would be in very good condition. Supplies, although fully ample to the moderate requirements, are by no means heavy.

Creamery, fancy near-by, Neb., Iowa and Wis.	22@24
Creamery, firsts	20@21
Creamery, seconds, or gathered cream stock	18@20
Dairy, fancy	20
Dairy, firsts	17@18
Dairy, seconds	14@15
Dairy, packers, stock	10@11
Country stock in pails	10@11
Very poor (grease stock)	3@ 5

Cheese—Firm, but the warm weather is curtailing trade to some extent. Reports from the large cheese producing sections of the North are again very unfavorable, and if the hot weather and drouth continues much longer a further advance is expected. Sales ranged:
Wisconsin full cream—Twins at 10½c, singles at 10½c, Young America at 10½c, skims at 5@8c, centrifugal at 2½@3c. Swiss—Choice at 13@14c, No. 2 at 10@11c, low grade at 6@8c. Limberger at 11½@12c. Brick at 12@12½c.

Eggs.

Received 873 cases. The tone and general condition of the market remains the same as for some time past. Offerings are not large and there is a right good call for strictly fresh stock at 15c per dozen. Most of the arrivals are running very bad, showing the effects of hot weather. For this reason a good portion of the arrivals have to be sold at a discount.

Poultry and Game.

Live Poultry—There was no change in the market for chickens. Present prices are considered to be high, considering that chickens are now of good size and weigh heavy, but the supply continues to be moderate, being barely up to requirements, and the market was well cleared up. The demand was best for light and medium weight stock, and straight coops of very large would have to be sold at a discount. Turkeys sell fairly for choice dressing stock, but small, scrubby and poor dull. Ducks in right good demand, while geese were slow. Sales ranged:

Chickens, young	10½@11½
Chickens, old hens	8½
Chickens, old roosters	4
Turkeys, young	8 @ 9
Turkeys, old	9
Ducks, poor to choice fat	6½@ 7½
Geese	5 @ 5½

Game—Arrivals not large, and condition generally poor, most of the consignments being soft. Ice is about the only thing under the present condition of the weather that will insure the arrivals in good condition. Choice sweet was in fair demand at full quotations. Soft and tainted had to be sold for the best price obtainable. We quote for choice sweet offerings:

Prairie chickens, Western, ⅌ doz	$ 4 00
Prairie chickens, Nebraska	3 00
Old and small	2 00
Wood ducks	1 75@2 00
Mallard ducks	3 50
Teal ducks	2 50
Mixed ducks	1 25
Wild turkeys, toms, ⅌ lb	12
Wild turkeys, hens, ⅌ lb	10
Woodcock	5 00
Frog legs	50
Live pigeons and squabs	1 00
Plover	75
Common rabbits, ⅌ doz	1 25
Jack rabbits, ⅌ doz	2 00

Live Veals—Fair offerings with only a moderate demand. Choice fat sold at 5@5½c, medium at 4½c; heretics, rough and thin at 2@2½c ⅌ lb.
Sheep—Salable at 3@3½c and lambs at 4½@5c ⅌ lb.
Roasting Pigs—Salable at 60@$1.00 each.

Wool.

Received, 9,510 lbs; shipped, 49,340 lbs. Very quiet, the offerings being light, but there was a good demand.

UNWASHED—STATES AND TERRITORIES.	Bright medium	Braid to coarse	Low sandy.
Mo., Ill., Ark., etc	22½@23	19@21	16@17
Kansas and Nebraska	20 @21	15@17	11@13
Texas and Indian Ter. 8 to 12 mo	21 @22	18@20	15@16
Indian Ter. 4 to 6 mo	19 @20	14@16	11@12
Col., Utah, N. Mex., etc	21 @22	16@18	13@15
Montana, Wyoming, etc	20 @21	18@19	15@16

UNWASHED—STATES AND TERRITORIES.	FINE. Light.	Heavy.
Missouri, Illinois, Arkansas, etc	20 @21	16 @18
Kansas and Nebraska	17 @18	13 @15
Texas and Indian Territory 8 to 12 mo	20 @22	15 @18
4 to 6 mo	18 @19	13 @14
Colorado, Utah, New Mex., etc	18 @19	12 @14
Montana, Wyoming, etc	19 @20	15 @16

Tub—Choice, 31@32c; inferior, 27@29c; black, 3@5c off. Sacks—Texas, 3-lb, tare 10c; regular long sks, 3½-lb, 15c. Burry, cotted, etc.—Slightly, 3@4c off; moderately, 5@6c off. Hard burry, etc.—13c ⅌ lb for Southern to 14½c for Missouri.

Seeds and Castor Beans.

[Flaxseed and castor beans are sold subject to inspection and inspector's weight.]
Grass Seeds—The market was slow, but unchanged. Offerings not large and buyers indifferent. Timothy ranged at 95c@$1.05 for inferior to $1.10@1.12 for fair and $1.15 for prime; clover at $3.60@3.90; red top at 25@30c. Sales: Clover—5 sks at $3.85, 5, 7 and 9 sks at $3.90. Timothy—274 sks at $1.07, 108 at 1.10. Red top—17 sks very poor at 21c.
Flaxseed—Received, 13,310 bu. Still declining. Sales: 3 cars early at 86c, 3 cars late at 85c. Sales, 3 cars flax seed sold late at 85c.
Hemp Seed—Steady at $1.25 pure test.
Castor Beans—Steady, but quiet at $1.60 for car lots prime; smaller lots less.

Hides, Feathers, Pelts, Etc.

Hides—Heavy green stock, 60 lbs and up, firm and well sustained, but everything under these weights weak and tending lower. Dry stock still runs mainly of inferior quality.
Green salted—No. 1 at 5½c, No. 2 at 4½c, bulls and stags at 4c. Dry salted—No. 1 at 7c, No. 2 at 5½c. Dry flint—No. 1 at 9½c. No. 2 and skins weighing less than 10 lbs at 7c, bulls and stags at 6c. Glue stocks—Green at 2c, dry at 4c. Round prices are: Green salted at 4½c for Texas and Southern to 5c for Missouri and similar stock in good condition; heavy stock weighing 55 lbs and over, ½c more. Dry flint at 7½@8c for hides weighing 10 lbs and upwards; skins weighing less than 10 lbs, bulls and stags at 6½c. Culls and glue stock at 4½.
Feathers—Selling fairly at unchanged prices. Prime live geese in large sacks at 41c and in small sacks at 42c; prime gray at 35@37c; quilly, unripe and damp at 33@37c; renovated XX at 35@37c; XX at 27@70c; XXX at 18@20c; duck, dark at 25c; white at 35c; chicken, dry picked, 4@4½c; turkey, body at 2c; wing and tail at 10@12c, tare, 3@10 per cent.
Sheep Pelts—Large and full wooled at $1.25@1.50; medium sized or fairly wooled at 90c@$1.10; lambs or short wooled at 50@75c; shearlings at 30@50c; dry at 5@15c less. Dry fallen skins at 11@12c ⅌ lb.
Deerskins—Prime flint at 26c; damaged, meaty, green, etc., at half price; antelope at 12½c; goat at 15@25c.
Tallow—Prime country in oil bbls sells at 4½c; choice winter cake higher; No. 2 at 4@4¼c; in irregular pkgs ¼c less.
Grease—Small country lots in irregular pkgs sells as follows: Brown at 2½@3c; yellow at 3¼@3½c; white at 3¾@4½c.
Beeswax—Prime, 24c; burnt half price.
Roots—Ginseng, $2.75@3 fancy large worth more; seneca, 25@28c; snake, 15@17c; golden seal, 15@20c; mayapple, 2@2½c; blue flag, 5c; pink, 16c; blood, 2c; bitter sweet bark, 6c; golden thread, 15c; lady slipper, 8c; black, 5c; angelica, 5@6c; wahoo, bark of tree, 5c; bark of root, 11@12c.

Miscellaneous Markets.

Moss—Choice black, 3½@4; brown, 3@3½c; gray and brown mixed, 2½@3c; gray, 2@2½c; country machine picked—XXXX, 6¼@6½c; XXX, 5½@5¾c; XX, 4½@5c; X, 4@4½c.
Scrap Iron and Metals—Wrought, 70c; heavy cast, trimming, plow and steel, 40c; stove plate, 30c; malleable and burnt, 20c. Brass—Heavy, 8c; light, 6¾c; copper, 8½c; lead, 3½c; zinc, 2¾c; pewter, 9c.
Rags, Etc.—Country mixed rags, 75c; old rubber, 2c; old rope, $2@2.25 for No. 1 and $1 for No. 2.
Bones—Half green slaughter-house, $8@10; junk bones, $11@12; mixed, skinny or partially bleached, $12@13; half bleached, clean and dry, $15@16; bleached and dry, $17 per ton.
Honey—Comb, 10@12c ⅌ lb; fancy white clover, 14@15c; inferior and broken, 6@8c; strained and extracted (in barrels), 5@5½c; in cans, 7@8c.
Sorghum—Quotable at 25@30c ⅌ gal.
Broomcorn—Common at 3½@3¾c; medium at 3¾@4c; choice at 4½@5c; fancy hurl at 5½@6c; damaged and crooked, half-price.
Sacks—Burlaps, 2-bu, 6c; 2½-bu, 6¾c; 2¾-bu, 7c; 3-bu, 7½c; 4-bu, 9½c; 5-bu, 9c; 6-bu, 9¾c; 7-bu, 9¾c. Cotton seamless, 13@21c; flour, 98-lb, 6¾c; 20-lb, 14@23c; wool at 20@30c. Texas, 6-ft. bags, 24½c.
Empty Barrels—Coal oil, 85c; lard oil, 65c; linseed oil, 65c; black oil, 60c; vinegar, 60c; molasses, 30c; whiskey, iron hoop, 75c; wood hoop, 40c; half-barrels, iron hoop, 35c.
Salt—Domestic sells at 85@90c ⅌ bbl.
Hemp—Missouri undressed nominal at $80@85 ⅌ ton.
Balingstuff—Bagging, 1¾-lb, 5½c, 1¾-lb, 6c; 2-lb, 6½c; 2¼-lb, 7c. Hemp twine, 10c; iron cotton ties, $1.35@1.40.
White Beans—Country lots of new sell at $1.50@2 per bu. Old and weevily much less. Hand-picked jobbing from store at $2.25@2.30.
Dried Green Peas—Jobbing at $1 05@1.10.
Nuts—Peanuts—Red sell at 1¾@2c; white at 2½@2¾c ⅌ lb. Pecans—Western and Territory at 10@10½c; Texas at 11@12c ⅌ lb. Chestnuts—$7.50@8 per bu.
Popcorn—Quotable at 1¾@2c and shelled at 2½@3c ⅌ lb.
Cooperage—Flour bbl, round hoops, 32c; flat hoops, 28c; half bbls, 22½c; produce bbls, 23c; meal bbls, 25c; pork bbls, 85@90c; half bbls, 55c; lard tcs, 95c; half tcs, 90c; kegs, 25c.
Cooperstuffs—Shaved hoops, hoosier flour bbls, $3.50@4; cooper flour bbls, $4.50@5; flour half bbls, $2.50@3. Pork bbls—Oak, $6@8; hickory, $8.00@10.00. Lard tcs—Oak, $8.00@9.00, hickory, $10@11. Staves—Flour bbl, $6.50; culls or seconds, $4@4.50; beer kegs, $16@18; lard tcs, $22; pork bbl, $16. Heading—Flour bbl, 4¾c ⅌ set.
Oil—Linseed oil, raw, 35c; boiled, 38c. Castor oil, choice, 11½c; No. 2; 10½c. Cotton seed oil, summer yellow, 38c; white, 39c; winter yellow, 41c; white, 42c. Turpentine, 42c.

Cotton.

Local—Spots, firm middling 8⅛c, Sales 790 bales.
New Orleans—Spots, steady. Futures Firm opened 8 points higher, advanced steady and closed 14@15 points higher.
New York—Spots firm and unchanged. Futures opened firm and closed steady at the advance of 9 points.
Liverpool—Spots steady. Futures firm and 3 points higher.
LOCAL SPOT QUOTATIONS—Low ordinary, nominal; ordinary, 6⅛c; good ordinary, 7⅛c; low middling, 7⅞c; middling, 8⅛c; good middling, 8 13-16c; fair middling nominal; tinges ⅛c and stained ¼c lower than white.

ST. LOUIS MOVEMENT:

	This season.	Last season.
Gross receipts to-day	1,001	756
Gross receipts since Sept. 1	8,272	7,111
Net receipts	359	387
Net receipts since Sept. 1	2,757	3,506
Shipments to-day	175	82
Shipments since Sept. 1	6,196	1,482
Stock	7,121	2,516

NET RECEIPTS, EXPORTS AND STOCKS OF THE UNITED STATES PORTS FOR 1 DAY.

	1891.	1890.
Receipts this week	39,028	33,423
Receipts last week	28,775	40,331
Exports	14,858	22,522
Stocks	545,304	294,009
Net receipts since Sept. 1	547,569	614,192

RECEIPTS TO-DAY AT LEADING RECEIVING CENTRES.
GALVESTON—Receipts, 11,925 bales; firm at 8 7-16.
MOBILE—Receipts, 1,870 bales; firm at 8¼c.
SAVANNAH—Receipts, — bales; firm at 8¼c.
CHARLESTON—Receipts, — bales; firm at 8c.
NORFOLK—Receipts, 1,440 bales, active and firm at 8¼c.
WILMINGTON—Receipts, 1,811 bales; firm at 8c.
BALTIMORE—Receipts, — bales; nominal at 8¼c.
BOSTON—Receipts, — bales; quiet at 8 11-16c.
PHILADELPHIA—Receipts, 30 bales; firm at 9c.
MEMPHIS—Receipts, 1,794 bales; firm at 8 7-16c.
AUGUSTA—Receipts, 1,730 bales; firm at 8¼c.
NEW ORLEANS—Receipts, 8,673. Spots steady a 8⅛c.

	Closed Yesterday.	12:15 p. m. To-day.
September	7.80	8.05
October	8.12	8.35
November	8.33	8.47
December	8.48	8.62
January	8.59	8.73
February	8.69	8.88
	Steady.	Quiet and steady.

NEW YORK—Receipts, — bales. Spot—Firm Middling at 8 11-16c.

	Closed Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closed. To-day.
September	8.39	8.53	8.42	8.53
October	8.41	8.53	8.47	8.53
November	8.58	8.70	8.66	8.70
December	8.77	8.86	8.83	8.86
January	8.94	9.05	9.01	9.03
February	9.09	9.19	9.15	9.18
March	9.21	9.30	9.26	9.30
April	9.32	9.40	9.37	9.40
May	9.42	9.49	9.46	9.49
June	9.50	9.57	9.54	9.57
July	9.58	9.64	9.61	9.64
August	9.65	9.71	9.67	9.71
	Quiet and steady.			Barely steady.

Sales to-day, 75,600 bales.

LIVERPOOL—Spot: Steady; demand fair. Uplands, 4⅝d. Sales, 10,000, of which 500 were American.

	Closed Yesterday.	Closed To-day.
September	4.48	4.51
September and October	4.48	4.51
October and November	4.48	4.51
November and December	4.52	4.55
December and January	4.55	4.57
January and February	4.57	4.60
February and March	4.60	4.63
March and April	4.63	5.02
April and May	5.02	5.03
May and June	5.05	5.08
	Steady.	Steady.

WEEKLY INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

	Week end'g Sept. 25, '91	Week end'g Sept. 18, '91	Week end'g Sept. 26, '90
Receipts	135,678	109,279	110,977
Receipts since Sept. 1	346,711	211,133	311,160
Shipments	112,527	90,469	91,081
Stock	108,211	85,160	55,517

Coffee Market.

Reported by the Hanley & Kinsella Coffee & Spice Co.:

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 26.

	First Call.	Second Call.	Third Call
Sept	13.40	13.45@50	13.30
Oct	12.25	12.30	12.35
Nov	11.55	11.60	11.60
Dec	11.50	11.50	11.55
Jan	11.35	11.35	11.40 b
Feb	None	11.15@20	11.25 b

Mail Pouch coffee in St. Louis at 21.40.
RIO, Sept. 25.—Regular firsts, 7 mil; good seconds, 6 mil 600. Exchange, 15½. Receipts, 20,000. Clearances—United States, 17,000; Europe, 10,000; stock, 324,000. Market inactive.
SANTOS—Receipts, 10,000. Stock, 236,000. Market firm; good average, 7 mil 550.

Commercial Notes.

New Orleans cleared 20,000 bu wheat for Liverpool.
Most of the Turkish provinces report abundant harvests, and especially those in Asia Minor.
Weather clear and warm, 85 degrees at 12 o'clock. Local forecast: fair; stationary temperature.
The Prussian wheat crop is reported as 67,500,000 bu, where last year it was 64,250,000 bu.
A St. Louis exporting firm to-day resold about 100,000 bu wheat that had been bought for French account.
Berlin cables say wheat dull and declining, on improved crop prospects, 4 marks lower, equal to 2½c per bu.
A great scarcity of farm hands exists in North Dakota. Threshing crews are nearly all short-handed, and work is delayed largely on that account.
There will be two new elevators added to the list of "regular" houses at Minneapolis Monday, which will probably increase the stock of regular wheat there 1,000,000 bu.
English farmers' deliveries of home-grown wheat for week were 72,600 qrs at 34s 5d per qr, against 56,190 qrs at 36s 5d last week and 106,379 qrs at 31s 6d for corresponding week last year.
Crop reports from Oregon state that the grain harvest is completed and threshing in active operation. The yield is very fine and exceeds the supply of bags available, which checks marketing.
Minneapolis wires that the receipts in the northwest at country points show quite a falling off. They have had some rain up there and farmers are showing some disposition to hold.
Unless the amount on lakes should fall off very largely the next visible of wheat should show a heavy increase. One year ago the visible showed 749,200 bu decrease, due to taking out 901,000 bu in a Minneapolis private elevator, and corn increased 133,600 bu.
It is reported that an Imperial Ukase has been issued prohibiting the export of wheat from Russia and will be promulgated as soon as the new loan is subscribed for.
From letters received by a commission firm the yield of Western flaxseed is said to be very disappointing. The present price is so low that farmers are very much discouraged, and the prospects are a smaller acreage will be put into flax owing to that fact.
Prime's report says: Owing to the favorable weather the corn crop is made. The recent interval of high temperature has advanced it beyond the season, and a bountiful harvest is assured. The same agencies that have advanced the corn tend to retard the seeding of winter wheat.
Exports for week of flour and wheat from both coasts, according to Bradstreets were equivalent to 5,106,000 bu, against 7,532,000 bu last week, and 1,156,000 bu for same week last year. For thirteen weeks they have amounted to 55,237,000 bu, against 24,666,000 bu for same period last year.
New York says the only demand for contract wheat is from receivers, who are sending it to store. The stock is expected to show considerable increase. Foreign houses were selling in moderate amounts to-day.
Owing to the extremely low stage of water in the river, less than 50,000 bu wheat was loaded into barges for export this week. The elevator began to-day loading into cars for shipment by rail to Belmont, where the barges will receive until the river is at a good stand again at this point.
The week's export from four Atlantic ports were: 193,450 bbls and sks flour, 2,821,300 bu wheat, 837,900 bu corn, 151,100 bu oats, 652,600 bu rye, a decrease from last week of 176,350 pkgs flour and 1,191,000 bu wheat, an increase of 306,250 bu corn, 14,350 bu oats, 155,100 bu rye.
The wheat situation in Manitoba has shown the commencement of quite a movement of new wheat to market at some points. This has been mostly in wheat threshed from the stock, and hauled directly to elevators for storage. The bulk of the wheat delivered so far as Manitoba country elevators has been placed in store by farmers and not much has changed hands yet. Buyers are not all on the market yet, and farmers no doubt think that it will be better for them to store until there are more buyers on hand. Marketings would be larger but for the scarcity of help. All available help is employed in stacking grain, and in some cases men cannot be procured to operate threshing machines.

Chicago Market Letter.

Private Wire to J. P. Grier:
CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 26.—We have had a quiet day in the wheat pit. December opened at 97⅜c, sold off to 97⅛c and closed at 97⅜@½c. Advices from the United Kingdom are dull, and from the Continent lower. We have had a fresh rehash of war news, and telegrams from the Southwest and Northwest that receipts will show a considerable falling off next week. This news caused some buying and an advance of ⅜c from the lowest point. We do not look for any material change in the market in the near future. It is only a scalp for fluctuations of from ½c to 1c a bu. Later on we look for higher prices, and believe purchases on breaks will make money.
Corn moderately active. The shipping demand continues good. The old bull clique predict higher prices for Oct. All the information we can get points to much lighter receipts. The selling of the Nov. option has been heavy to-day. On a ½c fluctuation either way we look for it all to be covered.
No change in the oat market.
In hog product the feature is liquidation by holders of the October option and the buying of the same option by a prominent packer who has been short. January pork is still being purchased by commission houses. The Dec. pork will sell lower, so say well informed men.
Estimated receipts for Monday are 290 cars wheat, 320 corn and 220 oats.
F. G. LOGAN & CO.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Wheat—Receipts, 246,035 bu; sales, 1,080,000 bu; No. 2 red dull; ½@¾c lower; little trading; Oct., $1.03⅞@1.04⅛; Nov., $1.05⅜@1.06; Dec., $1.06¾@1.07½; Jan., $1.08⅜@1.09; May, $1.12¾@1.13¼. Rye—Easy; Western, 98c. Barley—Dull; steady; No. 2 Milwaukee, 73@74c. Corn—Receipts, 264,725 bu; sales, 284,000 bu; No. 2, firm; ¼@½c up; quiet; No. 2, 60⅝@61c. Oats—Receipts, 141,450; sales, 5,000; dull, easier; Western, 31@40c. Beef steady, quiet; extra mess, $9@10; family, $11@12. Pork fair demand, steady; new mess, $12@12.50; old mess, $10.75@11.25; extra prime, $11@11.25. Lard quiet, easy; steam rendered, 6.95c. Butter—Receipts, 2,915 pkgs; quiet, unchanged; Western dairy, 13@18c; Western creamery, 16@25c; imitation creamery, 14@21c. Eggs—Receipts, 4,312 pkgs; Western, 20½@21c. Sugar—Raw steady, quiet; fair refining, 3c; centrifugals 96 test, 3 7-16c; refined dull, steady; crushed, 5⅛c; powdered, 4¾c; granulated 4½ @ 4⅝c. Spirits turpentine steady, quiet, 37½@38c. Molasses fairly active and firm; New Orleans common to fancy, 28@32c. Tallow quiet (2 for pkgs), 5 1-16c. Coffee—The contract deals were fair and were mostly to even up over Saturday. Prices were early 10 points up to 10 points down, but they closed barely steady at 10 points up to 25 points down. Public cables were of inactive markets in Brazil, but private dispatches said that Santos was higher and Rio much stronger on covering of contracts. Rio on spot was dull and nominal.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 26.—Wheat was dull and easy this morning. Liverpool was easy and Berlin was weak on improved German crop reports. The receipts here and in the Northwest were light. Dec. opened at 97⅜c, an advance of ⅛c over last night's closing quotations, gradually sagged off to 97⅛c, rallied to 97⅜c, but receded again to 97⅛c at 11 o'clock. Corn was rather firm on the continued good demand by shippers. Oct. opened ⅛c up at 49⅞c, sold up to 50⅛c, off to 44⅞c, and at 11 o'clock stood at 49⅞c. Provisions were weak on continued liquidation of long stuff. Oct. pork opened unchanged to 2½c lower at $9.80@9.82½, sold off to $9.77½, rallied to $9.80, went off to $9.75 and sold at $9.77½ on the call.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 26.—1:15 p. m.—Close—No. 2 wheat firm; cash, 95⅜c; Sept. 95⅜c; Dec. 97⅛c; May, $1.04. No. 2 corn steady; cash, 50c bid; Sept. 50⅛c; Oct. 49⅞@50c; year 43⅛c; May, 42⅛c. Oats—No. 2 steady; cash, 26½@⅝c; Oct. 26⅞@27c; May, 30⅞c. Mess pork, firm; cash, $9.85; Oct. $9.82½@9.85; Jan., $12.40. Lard firm; cash, 6.60c; Oct., 6.57½c; Jan., 6.80c. Short ribs firm; cash, 6.70@6.80c; Oct., 6.70@6.72½c; Jan., 6.42½@6.45c. No. 2 rye easy at 82½c. No. 2 barley easy at 60c. No. 1 flaxseed easy at 90c. Prime timothy seed easy at $1.16@1.17. Butter steady. Eggs firm; fresh, 18@19c. Whisky, $1.18.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 26.—Flour steady. Wheat scarce, firm, 96c. Corn quiet, 55c. Oats easy, 30@31c. Rye firm, 87c. Pork weak, $10.30½. Lard quiet, 6.50c. Bulk meats easy, $7@7.25. Bacon firm, $8.50. Whisky steady; sales, 684 bbls.

BUFFALO, Sept. 26.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, $1.02¾; No. 1 Northern, $1.01¼; No. 2 red, $1.02½. No. 2 corn, 56c. Receipts—Wheat, 250,000 bu; corn, 400,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 150,000 bu; corn, 240,000 bu.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 26.—Wheat lower and quiet; cash and Sept., 96½c; Dec., $1.00¾; May, $1.06½. Corn quiet; cash, 53c. Oats easy; cash, 30c a. Cloverseed lower and active; cash and Sept., $4.47½; Oct., $4.40; Dec., $4.47½.

DETROIT, Sept. 26.—Wheat—No. 1 white cash, 95½c; No. 2 red cash, 97c nominal; Dec., $1.00¾; May, $1.07¾. Corn—No. 2 cash, 52c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 28c; No. 2 white, 31c. Rye, 85c. Receipts—Wheat, 20,100 bu; corn, 100 bu; oats, 9,600 bu.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 26.—Wheat firm; No. 2 spring on track cash, 91c; Dec. 92¾c; No. 1 Northern, 95c. Corn steady; No. 3 on track cash, 51c. Oats quiet; No. 2 white on track, 29c.

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Cattle—There was scarcely enough stock here to-day to make a trade gauge of values. Common cattle were just as low as they were during the week—35 to 50c off from the week previous. Other kinds were steady.
Hogs—The hog market to-day was heavy and a dime lower than the closing prices of yesterday afternoon. Good to best hogs were worth to-day $4.75 to $5; selected butchers, $5.05@5.10; fair to good hogs, $4.15 to $4.70; common, from $3 to $4. The close was quiet.
Sheep—Market slow and dull to-day at the decline during the week, which amounted to 50c full.

Live Stock by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 26.—The Evening Journal reports: Cattle—Receipts, 2,000, and about all natives. As is usual on Saturday, business was light and prices showed little or no change as compared with yesterday. Common and medium natives, rangers and Texans are selling for the lowest prices this year, and nearly as low as the lowest of last year. Good native steers are not any too pleantiful, and are lower than the early part of the week. Cow stock and all grades of butchers down to low water mark. Hogs—Receipts, 7,000 head. Slow and 5@10c lower, making a decline in eight or ten days of 30@50c; rough and common, $3.95@4.50; mixed and packers, $4.60@4.90; prime heavy and butcher weights, $5.00@5.50; light, $4.75@4.85; pigs, $4.00@4.50. Sheep—Receipts only about 500 head, and no market worth mentioning.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,030 head; shipments, 2,820 head. Market steady; steers, $3.75@5.70. Hogs—Receipts, 5,660 head; shipments, 620 head. Market steady to 5c lower; all grades, $3.25@4.85. Sheep—Receipts, 1,910 head; shipments, 1,210 head; steady.

BUFFALO, Sept. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 241 loads through; 1 sale. Slow and unchanged. Hogs—Receipts, 55 loads through; 40 sale. Dull and lower; heavy grades cornfed, $5.20@5.30; medium weights cornfed, $5.15@5.20; Yorkers, good to best cornfed, $4.85@5. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 8 loads through, 10 sale, 7 of which are Canadas; shade stronger for all kinds. Sheep—Extra fancy, $4.25@4.50; good to choice, $4.00@4.25; fair to good, $3.75@4.00. Lambs—Good to choice native, $5.25@5.60; common to fair do, $4.50@5.00; Canadas—common to extra, $5.50@5.80.

Wall Street.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Although the activity in Union Pacific, Missouri Pacific and Atchison was still very great this morning, the trading in the rest of the list was only moderately active, while the strength of yesterday was continued, and further gains were made in everything traded in. First prices were generally slightly higher than the finals of last evening, but Canada Southern, Union Pacific and New York Central were each up ⅜. The Vanderbilts were again the strong features of the market and Lake Shore rapidly rose from 123 to 125. On the other hand Missouri Pacific, after opening up 1 at 68½, was driven off to 67, recovering only a portion of the loss. The general list displayed considerable strength and fractional advances occurred in almost everything, but late in the hour the Goulds were again attacked and Missouri Pacific dropped to 66 and Union Pacific sold down to 42⅝, against 43⅜ at the opening. The general list was well held however, and at 11 o'clock the market was active and strong at or near the best prices reached.
Money easy; closed at 3. Bar silver 98c.
The stock market after 11 o'clock was not so strong, all support seemingly being withdrawn from the gold shares and further material losses were suffered in both Union and Missouri Pacific. Union Pacific fell away to 41⅝ from 43, while Missouri Pacific was knocked down to 62½, a loss of 6 per cent from its opening price. The rest of the list responded with only fractional losses, although most stocks were brought below the opening figures. The bank statement had no appreciable effect, although showing large losses in cash and the surplus reserve, and the late trading developed a firmer tone, the market closing active and firm at a shade under first prices in most stocks.
BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 26.—Mexican 4s, 72½; do stock, 72⅛; Allouez, 1½; Atlantic, 13½; Boston and Montana, 48½; Butte and Boston, 19; Franklin, 15; Kearsage, 16; Osceola, 36½; Santa Fe, 50.

New York Stock Quotations.

Corrected daily by Whitaker & Hodgman, bond and stock brokers, 300 North Fourth street, St. Louis, Mo. ST. LOUIS, MO., Sept. 26.

STOCKS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Atchison	46	46⅛	45⅛	45⅝
Canada Southern	60	60⅛	59⅝	60
Canadian Pacific				
Central New Jersey	119	119⅛	119	119⅛
Chicago Gas Trust	52¼	52⅝	51⅛	52⅛
C., C., C. & St. L.	73½	73⅝	72⅝	73⅛
Chi., R. I. & P.	85½	86	84⅞	85⅝
C., B. & Q.	99	99⅝	98⅞	99¼
C., M. & St. P., com	75	75⅝	74⅝	75⅛
C., M. & St. P., pfd	121⅞	121⅞	121¼	121⅞
C. & N. W. com	115⅜	116⅛	115	116⅛
C. & N. W. pfd				
Cotton Oil, com	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
Cotton Oil, pfd				
D., L. & W.	143⅝	144	143¼	143⅞
Delaware & Hudson	135½			135⅞
Denver & Rio Grande				
Erie, com	31⅛	31½	30⅞	30⅞
Erie, pfd	69¼	70½	69¼	70
Hocking Valley	31½	32¼	31¼	32½
Illinois Central	102½	102½	102⅛	102⅜
Laclede Gas, com	21	21	20⅞	20⅞
Laclede Gas, pfd				
Laclede Gas, bond				
Lake Erie & Western, com	21⅛	21⅛	21	21
Lake Erie & Western, pfd	68⅛	68½	68	68
Lake Shore	123	125	123	124½
Louisville & Nashville	80⅛	80⅞	80	80⅛
Lead Trust	16⅞	16⅞	16¾	16⅞
Linseed Oil				
Michigan Central	102¼	103	102¼	103
Missouri Pacific	68½	68½	62½	65
M., K. & T., com				
M., K. & T., pfd	28	28⅛	27⅞	27⅞
Mobile & Ohio	44½			44½
Manhattan Elevated				
New York & New England	41¼	42⅛	40⅞	41¼
New York Central	111⅜	111⅞	111⅜	111⅝
Nor'k & Western, com				
Nor'k & Western, pfd				
North American	19½	19⅝	18½	19⅛
Northern Pacific, com	30⅛	30⅛	29⅞	30
Northern Pacific, pfd	77⅛	77⅝	76¾	77½
Oregon & Transcontinental				
Oregon Nav. & Trans				
Ohio & Mississippi				
Pacific Mail	38⅛	38⅛	37⅞	37⅞
Philadelphia & Reading	42	42	41½	41⅝
Pullman Palace Car				
Richmond Terminal	14½	14½	13½	14
Silver	98½	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
Sugar, com	91⅛			91⅛
Sugar, pfd				
St. L. & S. F.				
St. L. & S. F., 1st pfd				
St. L. & S. F., 2d pfd				
Texas & Pacific	15¼	15½	15⅛	15⅛
Union Pacific	43⅝	43⅞	41⅞	43⅜
Wab., St. L. & P.	15⅛	15⅛	14½	15
Wab., St. L. & P., pfd	32⅝	32⅝	31½	32⅝
Western U. T. Co.	83½	83⅝	83	83⅝
Whisky Trust	51½	51½	51	51¼

Local Bonds.

Corrected daily by James Campbell, Broker, 307 Pine street.

U. S. BONDS.	When due.	Interest Payable.	Bid.	Ask.
2 ⅌ cent bonds	1891	J. S. D. & M.	99½	100
4 ⅌ cent bonds	1906	J. A. J. O. O.	117	117½
ST. LOUIS CITY AND COUNTY BONDS.				
City 3½ sterling	1919	Feb and Aug	95	97½
City 3.65 sterling	1907	June and Dec	98	99
City 4s, 10-20s, sterling	1902—05	Various	99	100
City 4s, sterling	1905	June and Dec	101	102
City 4s, sterling	1908	April and Oct	101	102
City 4s, sterling	1918	Jan and July	104	104
City 5s, sterling	1900	Jan and July	105	106
City 6s, gold	1892	Various	100	100½
City 6s, B. app	1892	June and Dec	100	101
City 6s, sterling	1893—94	Various	102	104
City 6s, sterling	1895—96	Various	104	106
City 6s, sterling	1898—99	Various	109	111
County Park 6s	1905	April and Oct	118	120
RAILWAY BONDS.				
Mo. Pac. consols	1920	May and Nov	107½	108
Mo. Pac. 3ds	1906	May and Nov	111	111½
No. Mo. 1st m 7s	1895	Jan and July	105	106
K. P. 1st m 6s	1895	Feb and Aug	105	106
K. P. 1st m 6s	1896	June and Dec	106	107
K. P. D. Ex. 6s	1899	May and Nov	106	107
K. P. consols	1910	May and Nov	105	106
St. L., I. M. 1st 7s	1892	Feb and Aug	101	101½

CLEARING HOUSE STATEMENT.

Clearances	$2,342,761
Balances	296,771

Foreign.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 26.—Close—Pork—Holders offer freely; prices unchanged. Wheat and flour—Holders offer moderately; prices unchanged. Lard—Holders offer moderately; spot and Sept. dull at 34s 6d; Oct. and Nov. dull at 34s 9d. Corn—Holders offer moderately; Oct. steady at 5s 5½d; Nov. steady at 5s 4¾d.
LIVERPOOL, Sept. 26.—Beerbohm—Wheat spot at opening slow; No. 1 California wheat per cental, 8s 9d. Liverpool, 12:30 p. m.—Wheat quiet, demand poor; holders offer moderately. Corn steady; demand poor. Cargoes off coast—Wheat quiet. Arrivals—Wheat cargoes since last report, 6; sold, 5; waiting, 10. Cargoes on passage and for shipment—Wheat inactive.

Oil and Petroleum.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 26.—Petroleum—At Oil City market closed at 59⅞c bid. No quotation on this Exchange.
CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 26.—Petroleum slow; S. W. 110, 6½c; 74 gasoline, 7c; 86 gasoline, 10c; 63 naphtha, 6½c.
WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 26.—Turpentine steady, 34c.

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MOBERLY, Mo., Sept. 25.—The regular fall term of the Moberly Circuit Court is in session, Judge Hockaday presiding. A noted case to be tried is that of Kate Williams, a negro woman of this city, who voluntarily admitted on the witness stand in the Circuit Court at Huntsville last week, that she swore falsely "down dar in dat little coort," for the small consideration of 75 cents. She has been committed to jail on the charge of perjury, and will probably be given a few years in the State prison to teach her the sanctity of an oath. The "little court" referred to is that of a justice of the peace in Moberly.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Paul Helgous is the Brooklyn hero at present. Thursday night he found a little 3-year-old boy lying on the track of the Long Island road just as the train came along at a high rate of speed. It was by the light from the locomotive headlight that he saw the child. He stooped under the gate and drew the sleeping child back just in the nick of time to save its life. The little one turned out to be the child of Mrs. Christian Flint of 296 Hendrix street.

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Accident to Otis R. Hawken.

The friends of Mr. Otis R. Hawken, a clerk in the Post-office, will regret to learn that the old gentleman was run into by a Missouri Pacific train near Tuxedo Park Thursday evening and seriously injured. Three ribs and one of his legs were broken and he was also cut on the head and otherwise badly hurt. Mr. Hawken and family removed to Tuxedo Park from the city only a few weeks ago. Mr. Hawken is a native of St. Louis and his father, Samuel Hawken, came here seventy years ago and was the inventor and manufacturer of the famous Hawken rifle of half a century ago.

THE LAST CHANCE.

Low-Rate Harvest Excursion.

The last low-rate harvest excursion for 1891 to Southwest Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Texas and all points West and Southwest, will leave St. Louis via Missouri Pacific Railway and Iron Mountain Route, Sept. 29, 1891; thirty days' limit and stopover privileges on tickets. Ticket offices, No. 102 North Fourth street and Union Depot.

Polish Alliance.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 26.—At yesterday afternoon's session of the Polish National Alliance, the following officers were elected to serve for the next two years: Censor, Wm. V. Prybeski of Bay City, Mich.; Vice-Censor, J. Helenski of Duluth, Minn.; Chairman of the Central Committee, Adalia Satalecki of Chicago; Vice-President, J. S. Pominski, Chicago; General Secretary, Prof. A. Mahlik, Chicago; Vice-General Secretary, Stanislas Pliszaka, Chicago; Treasurer-General of the Alliance, Michael Majewski, Chicago; Editor of the organ of the Polish National Alliance, *Zgoda*, which is owned by the association, M. Nicki, Chicago; Secretary of the *Zgoda*, Stanislas Lanferski.

Indian Territory Lands.

The Sax and Fox, Iowa, Pottawatomie (and Absentee Shawnee) reservations open for settlement on and after Tuesday, Sept. 22, 1891. The United States land offices for these public lands are at Guthrie and Oklahoma City, O. T., reached via Frisco Line and Santa Fe Route. Don't fail to get a home in this magnificent country. For best route, rate pamphlets, etc., call at Ticket Office Frisco Line and Santa Fe Route, 104 North Broadway, St. Louis, Mo.

Humane Society Work.

The Missouri Humane Society makes the following report for the week ending Sept. 25: Cases of beating investigated, 4; overloading, 2; overdriving or overworking, 1; driving when galled or lame, 24; depriving of necessary food or shelter, 2; warned, 33; prosecuted, 2; convicted, 1; animals taken from work, 12; animals killed, being unfit for further use, 3; complaint of children, 1.

Hear the Soul of a Krakauer
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Dennis Doyle Missing.

Information is wanted of Dennis Doyle, who left his home in Mason City, Io., to visit Mr. William Doyle, 1218 North Sixth street. Doyle is 23 years old, 6 feet high, and was dressed in dark clothes with a gold watch and chain. He is dark-featured, with black hair and mustache. Any tidings of him will be thankfully received by his wife, Alice Doyle, Mason City, Io., or his cousin, Miss Maggie Doyle, 1218 North Sixth street.

SMOKE La Flor de Overbeck and White Horse, 5c cigars.

Coal Wagon and Buggy Collide.

When Peter Kiernan of 2715 Rutger street reached the corner of Manchester road and Ewing avenue with his coal wagon and team, he ran into and upset the buggy of Mrs. C. T. Farrar of 2815 Adams street. Mrs. Farrar was thrown out, but was not hurt. Kiernan was arrested but the lady would prefer no charge against him, claiming she was to blame, and he was released.

HOTEL BEERS—A few elegant rooms are still to be had in the new addition to Hotel Beers, Grand avenue and Olive. Transient rates, rooms $2.00 to $3.00 per day.

Thrown From His Wagon.

A driver for the Bayse & Robinson Commission Co., known to his employers as "Bill," was driving down the hill on Chestnut street to the Levee yesterday evening, when his wagon upset and he was thrown out. In the fall his left leg was broken and he sustained other painful bruises. His employers sent him to his home, 910 Biddle street, in a cab.

If you are Bilious, take BEECHAM'S PILLS

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL WORK IN THE STATE AND CITY.

The Executive Committee of the State Sunday-School Association to Meet To-Night—Grand Sunday-School Rally —Immanuel Church's New Pastor.

The Executive Committee of the State Sunday-school Association will hold an important meeting to-night in the Y. M. C. A. Building, Twenty-ninth and Pine streets. The members living outside of the city and the State agents have been urged to report. The committee will make a complete survey of the work throughout the State, outline the routes for the agents and formulate plans for the city canvass. Monday evening in the parlors of the Second Baptist Church, the city Sunday-school Superintendents will hold an important meeting. Mr. H. T. Davis of Monroe City, Mo., a distinguished evangelist of the Christian Sunday-school Association will make an address on "The Superintendent."

A number of Baptists have of late taken up their homes at Maplewood, Sutton, and other suburban points on the Missouri Pacific Railroad, midway between St. Louis and Kirkwood. Last Sunday after preliminary work by W. H. Curtis a new Sunday-school was organized. Those who were present were W. H. Curtis, Mr. A. C. Clayton, President of the County Sunday-school Association; Prof. E. A. Haight and W. G. Thomas of Kirkwood and some fifty others. The school bids fair to do well, such a school being needed in the neighborhood.

The rehearsals for the monster Sunday-school concert at the Exposition, Oct. 16, are going on at thirty places. The union rehearsal will take place at the Second Presbyterian Church, Monday, Oct. 12, at 4:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Next Sunday will be Sunday-school day at the First M. E. Church, South, Glasgow avenue and Dayton street. The church has been decorated for the occasion and at the morning service, beginning at 10:30 o'clock, there will be recitations and special music by the children. The exercises will be under the direction of the pastor, Rev. W. B. Palmore and the Superintendent, A. E. Whitaker.

There will be a grand Sunday-school rally at Central Undenominational Church, Eleventh and Locust streets, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A great many of the officers, teachers and scholars connected with the school in former years are expected to be present and the exercises will be varied and interesting. In the evening the congregation will engage in a sort of rally and review, at which there will be reports, addresses and the monthly communion, with admission of new members. The music will be especially pleasing under the orchestral direction of Jas. Pellar. The pastor, Rev. Wm. Johnson, after a two weeks absence, because of ill health, will return this evening and will be in charge of the exercises Sunday.

The Immanuel's New Pastor.

The Immanuel Baptist Church which was organized Sept. 13 at Conclave Hall, corner of Maple and Hamilton avenues, starts out with unusually bright prospects. The Rev. Addison Moore, who was invited to occupy the pulpit on the 20th and 27th insts., was so acceptable to the church in his sermon of last Sabbath that, at the Wednesday evening prayer meeting he was unanimously invited to become its pastor. This invitation he has accepted, and begins his pastoral work at once. The regular services of the church—comprising Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m., regular services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. of each Sunday and prayer-meeting Wednesday evening of each week—will be held in Conclave Hall, which has been secured for a year, within which time it is expected a chapel will be built and ready for occupancy. This is Mr. Moore's first settled pastorate, although he has preached acceptably in many pulpits while completing his studies, and as a interim pastor had charge of the Sherman Avenue Baptist Church of Newark, N. J., where he met with gratifying success. In appearance he is slightly under medium height, of light complexion, with an earnest, thoughtful face. His manner and delivery in the pulpit is unusually pleasing and the presentation of his subject in word and thought shows independence and breadth. Mr. Moore received his education at Colgate University at Rochester and Columbia College, completing his studies last year. He was tendered several pulpits in the East, but comes West because of its broader field and greater opportunities. The church is greatly pleased and encouraged by his prompt acceptance of the call.

A New Catholic Parish.

A new Catholic parish will soon be organized in this city. The western portion of the city has been built up so rapidly that church accommodations have been very poor west of Grand avenue. Archbishop Kenrick has just granted permission to Rev. Father J. T. Tuohy to build a new church in that portion of the city. Father Tuohy was formerly assistant pastor at St. Bridget's Church, but has been for the past two years studying at the Catholic University at Washington, D. C. He has but lately returned to the city. He will proceed at once to organize his new parish. This will make the fiftieth Catholic congregation in St. Louis.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The third and last address of the special course on Association work will be delivered to-morrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at Central Branch by George T. Coxhead, General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. His theme will be: "The Work Before Us." Dr. Hammer will speak on "Our Message," at the Young Men's meeting to-night.

The business men's noon-house meeting at the down town branch will be led next week by Selden P. Spencer. The meeting to-night will be led by Charles Frederick and to-morrow by J. L. Secor.

W. C. Henderson of Williamsport, Pa., has been appointed secretary of the colored branch of the Y. M. C. A., at 1408 Morgan street. Mr. Henderson arrived in the city last Wednesday, and, as he is an experienced worker, the branch has now a hopeful outlook.

The usual Sunday afternoon service at the Union Depot Railroad Branch, 126 South Fourteenth street, will be conducted at 4 o'clock to-morrow by Secretary Cobb.

St. John's Jubilee Fair.

St. John's jubilee fair will take place next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at Liederkranz Hall. The object of the fair is to raise funds to pay the indebtedness which has hung over St. John's Parish since the administrations of Archbishop Ryan and Bishop Hennessy. Vicar-General Brady and Rev. Father Coffey, who have friends in all parts of the city, are enlisting their services in the present undertaking. The first night will be devoted to the senior sodalities and St. John's Choral Union. On the second evening there will be a reunion of old-time parishioners. On the third evening the junior sodalities were programmed for the entertainment; yesterday the announcement was made that Gilmore's Band will also be present to add to the attractions. Miss Dusseuchall, Mr. John J. Cahill and the members of the Dramatic Society will take part in the entertainment.

Religious Notes.

Work has commenced on the $80,000 Catholic Church of St. Mary at Alton.

Father O'Donohue of Bonne Terre, Mo., was a visitor to the city last week.

Mrs. Rosenblatt, who died last week, left $1,000 to the Good Shepherd Convent.

Father Cooney of St. Bridget's will take charge of the Assumption parish on Oct. 1.

Grace Church will have a Sunday-school Harvest Festival Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Father O'Reilly of Helena, Ark., is in the city, the guest of his brother, Mr. M. B. O'Reilly.

Father Morris of the Passionist Order will, it is understood, be transferred to South America.

Gilmore will give two numbers one night at Father Brady's festival. It will be called "Gilmore night."

Rev. J. W. Allen will preach to the congregation of Grace Presbyterian Church to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. Jas. S. Caruthers and Rev. M. B. W. Granger were dismissed from the St. Louis Presbytery at their own request.

Rev. W. J. Patrick of Bowling Green, Mo., who has just returned from a long sojourn on the Pacific coast, passed through the city last week.

Rev. H. J. La Tour of Salem, Mo., formerly of this city, was down this week attending the conclave. He paid a visit to Baptist headquarters.

Owing to the illness of Pastor Riggs, Rev. W. H. Williams of the *Central Baptist* will occupy the pulpit of the Fourth Baptist Church to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Averill tendered a reception to Rev. Addison Moore, the newly appointed pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church, Tuesday evening.

Rev. W. J. Crouch of Carrollton, Mo., Rev. J. R. Schaffer of Steelville and Rev. W. J. Tuttle were among the visitors at Baptist headquarters during the week.

There will be a service of song at Central Presbyterian Church to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. A very fine programme will be rendered by the choir directed by Mr. Wm. McJenkins.

Mr. P. Biallas has begun work on an altar 22 feet high and 12 feet wide for the new St. Agnes' Church. The altar will be artistically carved and surmounted with a beautiful tabernacle.

Owing to incomplete arrangements the separated branch of St. George's congregation will not hold services to-morrow at the Office Men's Club as anticipated. Rev. Carroll M. Davis will lead the services on the following Sunday.

Rev. Father Hueber of Perryville, Mo., has been transferred to St. Vincent de Paul Church, this city, from Perryville, Mo., and Father More of St. Vincent's has been transferred to Perryville.

It is proposed to erect a memorial at Manhattan College to the late Very Rev. Brother Patrick, the great organizer and educator of the Christian Brothers, to whom so much is due in this country.

At Third Congregational Church to-morrow Rev. G. H. Grannis will preach in the morning on the parable of "The Rich Man." The evening sermon will be by Rev. C. R. Hyde of Nashville, Tenn.

Hon. E. W. Stephens, proprietor of the Columbia *Herald*, is in the city looking after the interests of his city, the Missouri Baptist General Association's new church and the Baptist cause in general.

Father Talion returned from Europe on Wednesday morning last. He was met at the depot by a delegation of his parishioners. He looks the very picture of health and speaks in glowing terms of his trip.

Harvest Home Festival will be celebrated Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at Trinity Church, Channing and Franklin avenues. All the articles brought will be sent afterwards to St. Luke's Hospital.

The new church of St. Agnes will be opened for divine service Sunday morning, Oct. 4, but will not be formally dedicated until late in November, when Archbishop Ryan will preach the dedicatory sermon.

Rev. M. E. Brodhead, pastor of the Baptist Church of Columbia, Mo., ran down to look up matters of interest to the new Baptist church, which is to be dedicated in October next. He is enthusiastic upon the outlook.

To-morrow evening at 8 o'clock Rev. Simon A. Blackmore, S. J., of the St. Louis University will preach at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Jefferson avenue and Lucas place. His subject will be: "Why Men Do Not Believe."

The ladies of the Holy Name Parish are industriously at work preparing for their fifteenth annual fair, festival and reunion to be held Wednesday and Thursday nights, Oct. 27 and 28, at the school hall, Emily street and East Grand avenue.

Baptist headquarters was thronged this week with a host of visiting brethren from all over the country. Amongst the most notable were Hon. Wm. Mussen, a prominent layman of Des Moines, Io., who was in attendance upon the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

Rev. H. A. Stimson will celebrate the fifth anniversary of his pastorate at Pilgrim Congregational Church to-morrow. The anniversary sermon will be preached in the morning at 10:30 o'clock. In the evening the pastor will speak of church work in St. Louis.

Hon. L. B. Ely, Financial Secretary of William Jewell College, Liberty, Mo., is here in the interest of the endowment of that college, endeavoring to secure $40,000 in order to secure the $10,000 offered by the Educational Society. He lives in strong hopes to secure this amount by early spring.

To-morrow is the fifth anniversary of Dr. Stimson's pastorate in Pilgrim Congregational Church. He will preach an anniversary sermon in the morning and will speak, in the evening, upon church work in St. Louis as seen from the standpoint of London, where he has been making some special studies of religious and charitable work. The services begin at 10:30 and 8 o'clock.

There will be a union meeting of all the chapters of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew in the city, at Trinity Church, Wednesday evening, Sept. 30, at 7:45. Addresses on Brotherhood work to be delivered by Rev. Wm. Harden, Rector of Trinity Church; Rev. Carroll M. Davis of Christ Church Cathedral, and Rev. Gustavus Tuckerman of St. Stephens' Mission.

A petition for a new church organization on Clifton Heights, St. Louis, with sixty-four signatures, was presented to the St. Louis Presbytery. Presbytery appointed a committee to organize a church at that point in the near future. The committee consists of Rev. Wm. J. Lee, moderator, chairman, and Revs. Samuel J. Niccolls, J. W. Allen, Geo. E. Martin and Samuel D. Mc C. Palmer.

Mr. E. A. Lefebre, the eminent saxaphone soloist of Gilmore's band, will render a solo and obligato at Union M. E. Church, corner of Garrison and Lucas avenues, to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. The quartette choir, consisting of Mrs. Georgie Lee Cunningham, Miss Urilla McDearmon, Messrs. Otho Hein and Geo. Meier, will render several selections. Mr. August Halter will preside at the organ.

Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church of St. Louis and Garrison avenues will hold its first Mission Festival in O'Fallon Park to-morrow. In the event of unfavorable weather it will be postponed to the following Sabbath. Services on the grounds will be held at 10:30 o'clock in the morning and 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Rev. Chas. Obenmeyer will officiate.

St. Lawrence O'Toole's Parish will hold a fair and festival on Sept. 28, 29, 30. The first evening there will be an attractive musical programme rendered by the Marquette Minstrels, Misses Addie O'Connell, Mamie Dunn, Mesdames Henry Hodnett, Regina M. Carlin and Messrs. John Cahill, Wm. Cook, Will and Alf Baker. Company F, National Guards, under the command of Capt. Lee, will give an exhibition drill.

A union of the young people's societies of the St. Louis Conference, M. E. Church South, was arranged for at a meeting held at St. John's Church last Monday evening. A constitution was adopted and the following officers elected to serve one year: President, A. E. Whitaker of First Church; Vice-President, W. O. Andrews of Cook Avenue; Secretary, J. Leland Boogher of St. John's; Treasurer, Dr. W. N. Lowry of Taylor Avenue. A union meeting of all the societies will be held the latter part of October.

The laying of the cornerstone of the new Lucas Avenue Cumberland Presbyterian Church will occur on Oct. 8 at 4 o'clock p. m. This congregation has already broken ground and begun the erection of a handsome edifice, to cost in the neighborhood of $45,000. The services will be conducted by Rev. B. F. Fullerton, the pastor, while addresses will be delivered by Dr. C. H. Bell and President W. H. Black, D. D., of the Missouri Valley College. A special musical programme will be rendered by the choir, under the direction of Mr. J. F. Holden.

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This morning L. P. Ryerson of New Orleans, La., arrived in the city and is at the Southern. "I am connected with the State Department of Levees," said Mr. Ryerson, "and we have been hard at work trying to devise a system which will at once prevent overflows and avoid forming dangerous bars. The United States engineers have done excellent work, but the States along the Lower Mississippi are obliged to largely supplement the Government work. Our local committees have often some very puzzling problems to deal with. Towns spring up where there has not been a flood for several years, but which may be overflowed whenever the water reaches a certain height. These ask for protection, but it is very often found that by giving it an expense many times greater than the value of the property guarded is entailed. The fact is that the levee system is gradually closing up all the safety valves, and that it is becoming harder and harder to preserve a good channel. Where the river can overflow the silt is deposited on the banks, but where floods are prevented the earth and land carried by the water is dropped to the bottom and at low water forms bars. This is the case where the river traffic is growing, and when the organization of new steamship lines to South and Central America promises greatly enlarge the trade of New Orleans, and when other gulf ports, notably Mobile, are bidding against us, the question of increasing the depth on bars is of greater importance than ever before. It is by no means impossible that heroic remedies will be adopted, that is to say that certain threatened points will be left without levee protection, in some cases that the levees will be broken, and that in this way an outlet for the silt that threatens the channel will be made."

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ENOUGH OF THE CITY.

The Williams Girls Glad to Return to Their Home in Illinois.

Janette and Maggie Williams, aged 19 and 15 respectively, are having an experience in the city which is quite different from the bright dreams which prompted them to comehere. Dr. Clifford, the Indian doctor, employed them, promising high wages, gold watches, new dresses and promotion in a short time. The unsuspecting girls were delighted for two days, but were thoroughly frightened and disheartened when the doctor was landed in jail last Wednesday. Being out of money and position the pretty misses walked from place to place to find work. At last little Maggie was installed as nurse at 3730 Lucas avenue.

Next morning Janette called to see Maggie and found to her dismay that she had quit her position and started for 2933 Wash street, where Janette boarded. Hurrying back to this place, she found that no Maggie had arrived. Prostrated by grief, Janette threw herself on the bed and wept like her heart would break. Then she rushed like a crazy person from one place to another seeking the lost sister. The police were put on the track, but the honor of discovering the girl must be awarded to Wm. McCormick and a Mr. Pinkerton. They found her at 109 South Twentieth street. The child got lost and wandered about carrying a valise until she was exhausted. The girls have a good home at Stanton, Ill., but like many country girls are seeking work and excitement in a great city. They will return home at once.

Arraigns Her Husband.

Mrs. Mary Staple, who lives on Eighth street near O'Fallon, charges her husband with brutal treatment, claiming that he is drunk a great deal of his time, and very abusive toward her and their two children, the only ones they have left of eight children. He has done no work for years, she says, and she has had to support him.

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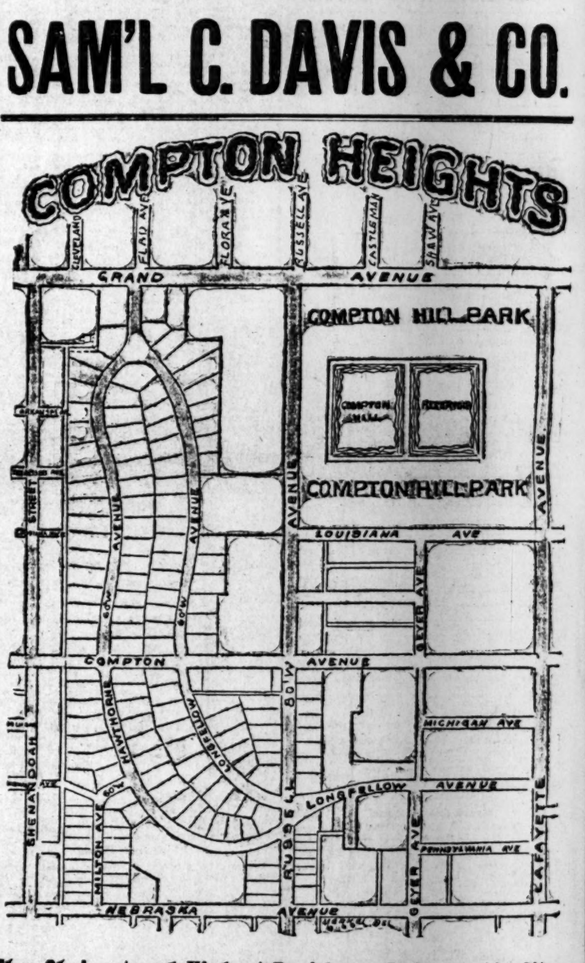

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OUT OF EGYPT.

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The Result of French and Russian Intrigue at Constantinople.

CENTRAL EUROPE PLEASED WITH THE TURN OF AFFAIRS.

How the Czar's Hasty Journey to St. Petersburg Is Regarded at the Capital—Officers of the Muscovite Army Anxious for War—The Feeling in Paris—The Kaiser's Recent Dinner-Table Talk—Latest War Rumors.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The Dardanelles scare has at last died out, but it is now stated that the alleged Russo-French intrigue at Constantinople will undoubtedly force England into an uncomfortable position regarding the evacuation of Egypt. A dispatch which gives much satisfaction at both Berlin and Vienna, states that the Porte is being urged to revive the controversy respecting England's position in Egypt. An uneasy feeling has been created at the British Foreign Office by this news, but in view of the entente between Russia and France it is well received at Berlin and Vienna, as it is well understood at both the latter places that such a step will again compel England to take active part in the Eastern question. Russia embroiled with England would be unable to pursue the plans hostile to Austrian interests with which she is charged by the extremely alarmist position of Vienna and the Central European powers might stand quietly by until they saw their way to interfere with advantage to themselves. Lord Salisbury refused to see in the Dardanelles incident anything inimical to the interests of England and his very liberal views regarding the latitude which may be permitted to Russia in respect to Turkey so long as England keeps her foothold in Egypt. Since it has been determined that Egypt is the point at issue reference to Egypt is deferred to in everything and the continental papers now find in the rapid transition of the mails from Yohohama a clear proof that Lord Salisbury is uncertain of his position on the Suez Canal and has been developing the western route in view of the day when he may find himself forced to evacuate Egypt. The interest of the achievement lies almost entirely, from this point of view, in the significant revelation which is thus made of the attitude of the British Foreign Office toward the Egyptian question and the evident admission which it carries that England foresees the loss of her preponderance in the Mediterranean. Lord Salisbury is praised for his wise and provident line of action, and the interest which has been shown by the British public in the new mail service is ascribed to a significant appreciation of his desire. It does not seem to occur to the writers that Lord Salisbury did not construct the Canadian Pacific Railroad, and that the development of the new mail service to Japan is a long looked for completion of the colonial policy, which was indeed designed to serve the Empire, as well as Canada, but which has in the present instance no more to do with the Egyptian question than with any other question which can be raised under the flag. If all the arguments which are cited for the war scare could be as easily disposed of, war would be far off.

THE CZAR'S HASTE.

A St. Petersburg dispatch says that while the death of the Grand Duchess Alexandra is the ostensible and sufficient cause for the Czar hastening back to Russia, yet the hurry of his journey has created a general impression in the Russian capital that affairs at Constantinople have a great deal to do with the anxiety of the Czar to be at home. Everything is ready for the advance by land and sea toward the Turkish capital whenever the Czar gives the word, and there is a nervous feeling that it may be given at any moment.

The Russian army officers are known to be anxious for a fight, and the present Czar, like his predecessors, has always shown great respect for army sentiment. It was the Russian army, without direct authority from the Czar, that nearly brought about a conflict with England in 1875 when the Czar repudiated and rewarded the action of his officers, and the same desire to measure swords and win promotion is stronger than ever.

Advices from Constantinople say the British fleet which recently went on a picnic to Mitylene has been sailing around Cyprus and paid another visit to Alexandria. The fleet is said to be again on the way to the Dardanelles, but no more picnicking is promised. When the British sailors land again, it is expected that they will be in earnest. The Sultan is making an effort to resuscitate his iron-clads that have not yet become useless from neglect and rust.

A PERILOUS IN FRANCE.

A Paris dispatch says at the close of a week having had for one of its leading political features an explanation that explains nothing, made by the Turkish Government which, paradoxical as is the fact, finds in fundamental and inherent weakness the mainstay of its influence in the destinies of Europe, France is, perhaps, the most tranquil nation on the Continent. French statesmen, politicians and journalists alike, confess themselves to the manifestation of a lange interest in what the English Tory administration and press may do or say with regard to the peculiarly inconsequential communication from Constantinople. The matter is not one which in any marked degree excites interested discussion here. The alleged sentimentally peaceful outgivings of the German Emperor at the table of the Austrian Archduke Albrecht, as reported by a Vienna correspondent and printed in Paris newspapers, have fallen quite flat. The only serious comment heard on the reported utterances of the imperial oracle is that the power to command peace or war for Europe has passed away from both Kaiser and Dreibund. It is true, however, that the gentlemen of the Patriotic League and a few more of the members of the governmental party supplement this opinion with the declaration that France and Russia now to the fore and propose to remain there whatever may be the cost. Again, there are thousands of thoughtful Frenchmen who decline to believe that a man fit to be the leader of the great German people would indulge in such twaddle as has been placed in his mouth by the English correspondent.